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### FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE—

#### Reporting Military Medicine

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Journal

NEVER before in the peace-time his-  
tory of this nation have such great  
numbers of American physicians, dentists  
and allied scien-  
tists been en-  
gaged in the  
practice of their  
professions in so  
many areas in  
the world. Today  
approximately  
three out of  
every 10 officers  
of the medical  
services on duty  
in our military  
departments are  
serving outside  
of the United  
States. This un-  
precedented sit-  
uation—arising



Col. Benford

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### USAF Group Urges More Family Houses

More recreational facilities for airmen,  
more on and off base family housing, and  
replacement of temporary type barracks  
were recommended at the recently con-  
cluded worldwide Installations Confer-  
ence held at the  
Pentagon.

Represent-  
atives of all ma-  
jor Air Force  
Commands at-  
tended the dis-  
cussion of the  
outstand-  
ing problems in-  
cident to Air  
Force in-  
stallations.

Of particu-  
lar interest to the  
Service, recom-  
mendations were  
made for:

(a) More recreational facilities (serv-  
ice clubs, swimming pools, bowling  
alleys, gymnasiums, etc.) to be sought  
in the Public Works program for fiscal  
1956;



Maj. Gen. Washbourne

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### Defense Budget Will Include Pay Raise, Pentagon's Plan Likely To Be Modified

Defense Secretary Charles E. Wilson—  
for the first time in his Pentagon career  
—has come out flatly in support of a  
military pay raise. He said he will ask  
for the money to achieve it, "perhaps  
something like" \$600,000,000.

The current budget provides \$8,700,-  
000,000 for pay and allowances for the  
Army, Navy, Air Force and Marine  
Corps. The Coast Guard, and uniformed  
members of the Public Health Service  
and Coast and Geodetic Survey also  
would benefit from a military pay raise.

Emphasizing at a news conference that  
final recommendations have not yet  
reached his desk, Mr. Wilson said, how-  
ever, that "in principle I recognize that  
some adjustments probably are in order."

In response to newsmen's inquiries, he  
said the pay raise request may be in the  
order of 3 to 5 per cent "adjusted by  
where you need to pay the money for  
the services rendered."

Asked if the Defense Department  
might ask \$600,000,000 in added military  
pay, Mr. Wilson said "perhaps something  
like that."

If the Pentagon asks a military pay  
boost that averages no more than 5 per  
cent for those receiving increases, it can  
be stated with certainty that efforts will  
be made on Capitol Hill to revise it up-  
ward.

Only last week, Representative Paul  
Kilday (D-Tex.) told THE JOURNAL he  
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### Army Will Consider 9000 for Promotion To Captain-Major; Boards Meet in Dec.

Selection boards will meet at the  
Pentagon this month to consider about  
9000 Army officers for temporary pro-  
motion to captain and major.

This marks a speed-up in previous  
plans, since the Army had said that the  
boards would not meet until January.

Eligible for consideration will be  
about 4000 Army list captains and up-  
wards of 3800 Army list first lieutenants,

as well as about 400 other captains and  
more than 500 first lieutenants on other  
lists.

The Army list captains must have 51  
months' active duty in grade before 31  
December 1954 to be eligible for consid-  
eration.

For promotion consideration to cap-  
tain, Army list lieutenants must have at  
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### SecDef Wilson, Once "New Look" Engineer, Now Inter-Service FY '56 Mediator

Defense Secretary Charles E. Wilson,  
approaching completion of two years'  
Pentagon duty and winding up the con-  
trivance of a third multi-billion dollar  
budget, is emerging in a new mantle—

that of a cautious inter-Service mediator.

Involved are thousands of men and  
millions of dollars and substantial force-  
level modifications, such as the recent in-  
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### Exchange Service Will Get First-Hand Field Comments On PX Customer Attitude

The Army and Air Force Exchange  
Service, whose global sales total more  
than \$60,000,000 per month, has launched  
a nation-wide poll of military clientele  
to find out what is right and what is  
wrong with ex-  
change opera-  
tions and poli-  
cies.

The Customer  
Attitude Survey  
—believed to be  
the first in the  
59-year history of  
the PX—"should  
help us to deter-  
mine any weak-  
nesses and to cor-  
rect them as well  
as give us a guide  
for future plan-  
ning," Maj. Gen.  
H. L. Peckham,  
USA, declared  
this week.



Maj. Gen. Peckham

General Peckham is head of the Army  
and Air Force Exchange Service, with  
headquarters in New York City.

Formerly commanding general of the  
huge Army Quartermaster Center at Ft.  
Lee, Va., General Peckham brings to the  
top PX post a first-hand knowledge of  
field problems from the commander-  
consumer viewpoint, as well as his recog-  
nized talents as a military logistics ex-  
pert.

He replaced Maj. Gen. Edward H.  
White, USAF, who now commands the  
Technical Training Wing at Sheppard  
AFB, Tex.

The PX Customer Attitude Survey,  
which will be conducted by the Bureau  
of Social Science Research at American  
University in Washington, D. C., comes  
at a time when Pentagon authorities,  
such as Air Force Secretary Harold E.  
Talbott, are calling for expansion of PX  
facilities and sales.

A representative group of 2400 soldiers  
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### Navy Will Revamp Destroyer Forces, Reduce Types, Boost Power & Versatility

Evolutionary changes in the structure  
of the Navy's destroyer and escort forces,  
with continued emphasis on mobility and  
versatility to meet the threat of improved  
air and submarine capabilities of poten-  
tial enemies, are  
under study.

As part of its  
program to get  
maximum strik-  
ing effectiveness  
at minimum cost,  
the Navy is con-  
sidering the gra-  
dual elimina-  
tion of more  
than six destroy-  
er and asso-  
ciated types.

At present,  
there are more  
than 10 types in-  
cluded in the  
force of about  
250 destroyers in active service.

Ultimate goal is a force of four basic  
destroyer types which will be capable of  
performing all missions currently as-  
signed existing types. Cost will range  
from \$20 million to more than \$40 mil-  
lion.



RAdm. Mendenhall

Admiral Robert B. Carney, USN, Chief  
of Naval Operations, and other top-rank-  
ing Navy officials have warned frequently  
against the danger of "bloc obsolescence"  
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## PX SALES DOWN, DIVIDENDS UP

Despite a drop-off in total sales with reduction in military strength, Army and Air Force Exchanges in the United States last year were able to boost dividend payments to installations commanders. The dividends are used for morale and welfare activities.

With net sales in the U. S. of \$324,185,811.86 during fiscal '54, the Army and Air Force Exchange Service achieved a net profit of \$23,293,644.56, and paid out \$18,631,638.14 in dividends.

This meant an average dividend payment of \$1.23 per soldier or airman per month, which compares with \$1.00 the previous year. In addition, the Exchange Service gave to its "boss," the Army-Air Force Central Welfare Fund, payments totalling \$11,000,000, which in turn were distributed to major commanders for morale and welfare programs.

This provided another \$.50 per man per month from Exchange profits, or a total of \$1.73.

Overseas, the picture is said to be virtually the same, with sales estimated to total about \$450,000,000, a net profit of approximately \$45,000,000 and dividends of over \$20,000,000 paid out.

## Having Trouble Cashing a Check At PX? Here's The Story; The Authority's There

(During recent months, THE JOURNAL has received numerous complaints in "Letters to the Editor" that military personnel of the Army and Air Force and their dependents have been denied the privilege of cashing a check at Post Exchanges. Charges have been made that this is a result of policies set forth by the Army-Air Force Exchange Service. Here are the facts of the case.)

Army and Air Force personnel, active and retired, and their dependents are eligible to cash checks, including personal checks up to \$50, at Army and Air Force exchanges.

This is the official word of Maj. Gen. H. L. Peckham, USA, Chief, Army and Air Force Exchange Service.

Where eligible personnel are unable to cash checks, it is because of a decision by the base commander or his local post exchange officer.

Official regulations of the Exchange Service give clear-cut authorization for this privilege.

The installation commander fixes the limit per check on U. S. Treasury, Organization Fund, Red Cross, Exchange checks and Money Orders.

He sets this limit based upon the extent to which cash is available in the exchange.

For Traveler's Checks and Cashier Checks, a \$100 limit is prescribed in the Exchange Service regulations.

For personal checks and other types of checks, the limit is \$50, although it is stated that "this limitation does not preclude the acceptance of a check from military personnel for the exact amount of a purchase."

Making it crystal clear, that cashing of checks at exchanges is permitted, the Exchange Service states in Bulletin No. 27:

"The cashing of checks for military personnel . . . is authorized. This authorization includes the cashing of checks for both active and retired military personnel and their dependents. In addition, the cashing of exchange issued payroll and travel expense checks for exchange employees is hereby expressly authorized. The cashing of checks for other authorized exchange patrons, the type of identification required and the mechanical pro-

## LOWER PX COSTS?

Will it be possible to reduce cost of items at Post Exchanges if Congress votes appropriated funds for construction of morale and welfare facilities, such as swimming pools, hobby shops and gymnasiums?

This question, posed at any Army & Air Force Exchange Service news conference this week in New York City drew guarded answers, but there was pointed indication of such a possibility.

Exchange Service officials, emphasizing that there has been no official word as yet on Defense Department intentions in this matter, pointed out that it is the Joint Welfare Fund of the Army and Air Force in Washington which sets the profit objective of the Exchange Service.

At the present time, this objective is about 7 per cent.

It was stated, however, that if funds are provided from sources other than Exchange profits for morale and welfare activities, it might very well be that the Joint Welfare Fund officials would reduce the profit goal.

"Such a development," said one official, "could well result in lower costs at the PX."

cedure will be determined locally," the bulletin states.

It was issued under signature of General Peckham.

To prevent circumventing of limitations, exchanges are instructed to maintain a register of all checks cashed.

The bulletin directs that check cashing rules will be published and prominently displayed at all exchange outlets.

lant have conferred during recent weeks on the small unit problem with General Benjamin W. Chidlaw, USAF, head of the Joint Continental Air Defense Command, and with Lt. Gen. Stanley R. Mickelsen, head of the Army Antiaircraft Command and General Chidlaw's Army deputy.

## Engine Life Actuarian Awarded ECS by SAC

The Air Force Decoration for Exceptional Civilian Service has been awarded Irving Katz for his work in adapting actuarial techniques to problems in engine life expectancy while employed at Strategic Air Command Headquarters, Nebr.

The work done by Mr. Katz, who is now with the Army Chemical Corps Research and Engineering Command, Md., has saved the Government millions of dollars. The award was presented by Brig. Gen. John R. Burns, ACCREC commander, in behalf of General Curtis LeMay, SAC commander.

## Exchange Service To Get Field Comments

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and airmen and 160 officers at large and small installations will be asked to give their frank opinions about PX operations.

They will be asked about the essentiality of various types of exchange outlets, which now number 1104 stores and 1098 food and service facilities in the U. S., with 2751 concessionaires. Overseas, there are some 1777 retail outlets, 2151 food and service units, and 2526 concessionaires.

Soldiers and airmen will be requested to comment on the quality of service and prices in retail food, service and concession activities.

What about the scope of merchandise? How do you find the attitude of sales personnel? How often do you visit the exchange activities? Do you have any comments on hours of operation, location of stores and related matters?

These are just some of the subjects which will be included in the scientific survey.

Although dependents will not be interviewed directly, General Peckham and his associates and members of the Bureau of Social Science Research believe that their attitudes will be reflected in the replies from the Servicemen.

The sampling will include single and married men, short and long-service personnel, privates and generals.

General Peckham said the Customer Attitude Survey will supplement other methods the Exchange Service has for learning its customers' needs and desires. These include the Officers' Council and the NonCommissioned Officers' Council, appointed by installation commanders.

Customers also are able to fill out "want slips," requesting items not carried in stock.

"Naturally," said General Peckham, "we get some requests for items which we are not permitted by regulations to stock."

Items that may be handled by PX's are limited by regulations resulting from the 1949 hearings of the House Armed Services Committee.

During recent years, there has been considerable feeling that in light of the current military situation, including residence of families far from the post, that the list should be expanded.

Looking forward to results of the Customer Attitude Survey, General Peckham observed:

"There is nothing timid about our customers. When they have an idea or gripe, you can rest assured that the exchange officer hears of it promptly. If it has domestic-wide application (overseas, PX operations are controlled by major commanders) we learn of it and pass it on to other exchanges for their information and action."

General Peckham stressed that the Customer Attitude Survey "is not in any way a check on individual installations. We will not receive from the researchers any breakdown of results by installations. Only the over-all results are significant in a survey of this type."

General Peckham praised the cooperation received from the major commanders and installation commanders of the Army and Air Force who are making facilities available for this survey.

The field phase of the Survey will be completed early in December. Tabulation and evaluation of results by the Bureau of Social Research will be reported to the Chief, A&AFES in February 1955.

Information on results obtained by the Survey will be released in March 1955, General Peckham stated.

The Army installations participating in the Survey are: Ft. Jay, Ft. Campbell, Ft. Bragg, Ft. Jackson, Ft. Sill, White Sands Proving Ground, Ft. Bliss, Ft. Lewis, Ft. Ord, and Ft. Belvoir.

The Air Force installations are: Alexandria AFB, Chanute AFB, Patrick AFB, Reese AFB, Sampson AFB, Smoky Hill AFB, Stewart AFB, and Travis AFB.

In addition, Madigan General Hospital, Ft. Lewis, Wash.; and Beaumont General Hospital, Ft. Bliss, Tex., are included in the Survey.

## Army General With Air Background And AF Colonel With Army Service Head PX's

The Army & Air Force Exchange Service has a cross-servicing flavor at its top command echelon.

Maj. Gen. H. L. Peckham of the Army, Chief of the Exchange Service, includes in his distinguished service record duty as Air Quartermaster.



Col. Gallant

His Deputy, Col. Edward B. Gallant, USAF, served on the War Department General Staff during WW II.

They and a single other officer, Col. Harold H. Shaller, USA, Director of Operations, are the only military personnel on duty at Exchange Service Headquarters in New York City, where more than 600 civilians are employed.

At the five regional headquarters—Baltimore, San Antonio, Chicago, Atlanta and San Francisco—there are two officers, an Army chief and an Air Force deputy, or vice versa.

General Peckham, 57, was graduated from the U. S. Military Academy in 1918 and served with the Corps of Engineers for many years before transferring to the Quartermaster Corps.

During WW II, he won the Distinguished Service Medal for directing the procurement and allocation of fuels and lubricants to the U. S. military forces.

He was commanding general of the Quartermaster Training Command at Ft. Lee, Va., before assignment this summer to the top Exchange Service post.

Colonel Gallant, Deputy Chief, is the senior Air Force officer of the world-wide Exchange System.

Previous to this assignment, Colonel Gallant served as Deputy Comptroller of the Air Materiel Command, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio, and formerly served as Deputy Budget Director at Hq. USAF.

During WW II, he served on the War Department General Staff and in the European, Philippine, and Japan war areas.

Colonel Gallant is a graduate of Holy Cross College and was also graduated from Boston College Law School and passed the Massachusetts Bar. He attended the Harvard Business School specializing in advanced business management and the Army and Navy Staff College.

## 'Copter Deliveries For PX Customers

Increased emphasis on small military units in connection with the air defense of the United States and Canada may make necessary utilization of helicopters for future PX deliveries.

This was the prediction of experts at Army & Air Force Exchange Service Headquarters this week.

"Our job is to see that the soldier and airman receive PX benefits to which they are entitled, wherever he may be assigned," said Col. Edward B. Gallant, USAF, Deputy Chief. "We intend to make sure that job is done."

Commenting on the complications resulting from activation of small units, such as anti-aircraft batteries and scattered organizations of the Air Defense Command, Colonel Gallant said "it may be necessary to use helicopters to reach some of these men."

Maj. Gen. H. L. Peckham, USA, Exchange Service Chief, and Colonel Gal-

## SECRETARY TALBOTT'S "MINIMUM PROGRAM"

Air Force Secretary Harold E. Talbott, addressing the National Press Club on 24 Nov., declared that this year he is going to support "the minimum program that will maintain the quality of preparedness on which our survival depends." He said:

"That program will include a pay raise, designed to reward special skills and abilities—that we must have.

"It will include a greatly accelerated housing program;

"A bill to provide medical care for families when uniformed doctors are not available;

"Improvement of our commissaries and post exchanges; and

"An equalization of G. I. benefits to put the advantage on the side of the career airmen."



## Military Surgeons End 3-Day Conclave; General Martin Takes President's Chair

Maj. Gen. Joseph I. Martin, MC, USA, Surgeon, U. S. Army Forces, Europe, was named new President of the Association of Military Surgeons this week as the group ended its 61st Annual Meeting in Washington, D. C.

A veteran of 36 years' service in the Army, General Martin took over the Presidency from Dr. Leonard W. Scheele, Surgeon General of the United States.

Theme of this year's convention was "Maintenance of the Nation's Health." The outgoing President, Doctor Scheele, discussed the subject from the standpoint of the U. S. Public Health Service.

The role which the military services play in bolstering the national health was discussed by Maj. Gen. Dan C. Ogle, MC, USAF, Surgeon General of the Air Force; RADM. H. L. Pugh, MC, USN, Surgeon General of the Navy, and Maj. Gen. George E. Armstrong, MC, USA, Surgeon General of the Army.

Principal speaker at the Association's banquet on 1 Dec. was Assistant Secretary of Defense Carter L. Burgess, Pentagon Manpower and Personnel chief.

The banquet also saw presentation of the Association's annual awards to Capt. G. C. Shaw, MC, USN; Lt. Col. John F. Harris, MC, USA; Cdr. John R. Seal, MC, USN; Dr. G. Robert Coatney, National Health Institute; and Miss Grace Bullman, Veterans Administration. The Founders Medal was presented to Maj. Gen. Silas B. Hays, MC, USA; Brig. Gen. Rawley Chambers, MC, USA; Thomas A. Foster, Pharmacist Director, Public Health Service, and Howard B. Fonda of the Burroughs Wellcome Co. (USA) Inc.

Captain Shaw, stationed at the Philadelphia Naval Yard, won the Sir Henry Wellcome Medal and Prize for the best essay on a military medical subject. His paper was on "The Clinical Syndrome of Acute Renal Insufficiency."

Colonel Harris, Surgeon of the Pennsylvania Military District, Indiantown Gap, Pa., received the Major Louis Livingston Seaman Prize for the best essay on an approved subject. He is the first Negro to be so honored.

Commander Seal, head of the Communicable Diseases Section of the Preventive Medicine Division, Bureau of Medicine and Surgery, Navy Department, received the newly established Stitt Award, given annually to the member who has done the most outstanding work in the field of antibiotics.

Doctor Coatney, with the Laboratory of Tropical Disease of the National Institute of Health, won the Gorgas Medal for his outstanding contribution to the chemotherapy of malaria.

Miss Bullman received the newly established McLester Award for her outstanding work in the field of nutrition and dietetics. She is Director of the Dietetic Service, Veterans Administration.

Maj. Roland B. Mitchell (MSC) USAF, Acting Chief of the Medical Sciences Division, Air Force School of Aviation Medicine, Randolph AFB, Tex., received honorable mention in the contest for the Sir Henry Wellcome Medal.

Among the numerous papers presented during the three-day meeting was one on the "Principles of Combat Psychia-

try" by Col. Albert J. Glass, MC, USA.

This system, he said, offers the advantage of early treatment of the patient before time and distance have hardened his temporary condition into a chronic neurosis. Another advantage is that the patient who is not removed from the general combat zone is still emotionally tied to his unit and efforts to prepare him for return to his unit are more readily achieved.

Exhibits on display during the meeting included four prepared by the Defense Department.

The Army exhibit depicted the scope and some current results of the Army's medical research and development program, the contributions it has made to military medicine and interrelationships of various projects carried on by other Federal agencies.

A Navy exhibit of color transparencies and artwork depicted the activities of the Naval Medical Service with the 1st Marine Division under combat conditions in Korea.

The Air Force exhibit, including photographs, illustrations and text material, depicted the techniques used and the results achieved in the use of large dermatomes in plastic surgery.

Displays also were exhibited by the U. S. Armed Forces Medical Journal and the Armed Forces Institute of Pathology.

Following established tradition, the meeting was opened by Maj. Gen. Charles I. Carpenter, USAF, Chaplain, who pronounced the invocation. Presiding over the first day's activities were Col. Joseph Shaeffer and Admiral Owsley.

The morning sessions on the second day were directed by Col. Donald E. Peterson and Col. T. C. Bedwell. In the afternoon Dr. Joseph E. Smadel directed the discussions.

Meetings on the final day were presided over by Medical Director John W. Cronin and Capt. James J. Saper, USN.

Representatives from all branches of Military Medicine from all over the world participated in the meeting. Delegates from at least 10 countries friendly to the United States attended the convention.

Newly elected officers, in addition to General Martin, are: First Vice President, RADM. John Q. Owsley, MC, USN; Second Vice President, Col. Amos R. Koontz, MC, Maryland National Guard; Third Vice President, Col. Arden Freer, MC, USA-Ret.; Fourth Vice President, Brig. Gen. H. H. Twitchell, MC, USAF; Fifth Vice President, Maj. Gen. Wallace H. Graham, MC, USAFR; Sixth Vice President, Medical Director John W. Cronin, U. S. Public Health Service.

Other officers who will continue in the posts they now hold are Col. Robert E. Bitner, MC, USA-Ret., Secretary-Editor; Stuart E. Womeldorph, D.C.I., Executive Secretary; Brig. Gen. L. C. Fairbank, USA-Ret., Dental Section Chairman; Brig. Gen. J. A. McCallam, USA-Ret., Veterinary Section Chairman; Col. Philip G. Fleetwood, MSC, USAF, Medical Service Corps Section Chairman; Col. Verena M. Zeller, AFNC, USAF Nurse Corps Section Chairman; and Miss Dorothy D. Rouse, Veterans Administration, Women's Medical Specialist Corps Section Chairman.

## Navy Beats Army, Accepts Bowl Bid

A determined Navy team dug out from under last week-end at Philadelphia to beat Army 27-20 in one of the most exciting games ever played in the traditional Service grid tilt.

Entering the game as underdogs, the Naval Academy eleven took the lead early in the first period and lost it only momentarily to the Cadets in the second quarter.

The final score remained in doubt right up to the closing gun, however, and kept the spectators in Municipal Stadium—100,000 strong—cheering wildly throughout the afternoon.

At the half the Midshipmen led 21-20, Army having failed to connect on one conversion attempt. A Navy score in the third period made it 27-20 when the conversion attempt failed, thus opening the way for a tie which never materialized. Neither team scored during the remain-

der of the game.

Here are the statistics which show how close was the game between the Nation's two top offensive teams:

	Navy	Army
First downs	21	20
By rushing	18	16
By passing	3	4
Rushing yardage	259	265
Passing yardage	75	96
Passes attempted	11	10
Passes completed	5	5
Passes intercepted	1	2
Run-back of interception, yds.	0	25
Punts	3	1
Punting average, yds.	28.5	27
Run-back of punts, yds.	4	0
Run-back of kick-offs, yds.	25	68
Fumbles	0	4
Fumbles lost	0	3
Penalties	3	3
Yards penalized	25	25

Immediately following the game, Navy accepted a bid to play Mississippi in the Sugar Bowl at New Orleans on New Year's Day.

## VA Gets Ready For New \$226,000,000 Dividend Melon For NSLI-USGLI Holders

The Veterans Administration will pay regular dividends in 1955 on National Service Life Insurance which originated in WW II, and on U. S. Government Life Insurance, which originated in WW I.

The NSLI dividend will amount to \$200,000,000 and will be payable to holders of approximately 5,000,000 participating term and permanent plan policies.

The USGLI dividend will amount to \$26,000,000 and will be payable to holders of approximately 380,000 permanent plan policies only.

In both the NSLI and USGLI payments, eligible policyholders will receive a dividend for each month the insurance is on a premium-paying basis during the policy year ending in 1955, with a single check covering the total payment due each policy.

Payments will be made shortly after the anniversary date of each policy beginning in January and ending in December.

VA announced changes will be made in several thousand individual NSLI dividend rates for the 1955 payment. On term NSLI, the dividend scale will be approximately 10 per cent higher at ages through 40 than for the 1954 dividend. For ages above 40, the increase will be somewhat greater except at age 55 for which the rate will remain unchanged.

On permanent plans of NSLI, the total amount to be distributed in 1955 will be about the same as for 1954, but there will be small increases at some points and small decreases at others.

VA said these increases and decreases

are due in large part to recent changes in the mortality and disability experience.

For USGLI permanent plan policies, a nominal increase generally will be made for those policyholders who presently are under age 60 and a slightly larger increase generally will be made for those policyholders who presently are over age 60.

VA said the USGLI increases also reflect recent changes in mortality and disability experience.

VA emphasized that the 1955 dividends will be payable only to eligible participating policies. They will not be payable to the nonparticipating post-Korea policies issued under the Indemnity and Insurance Acts of 1951, nor will they be payable to the 900,000 NSLI and USGLI participating policies for the months for which premiums were waived during the 1955 policy year under the same acts.

Term USGLI policies also are excluded from the 1955 dividend declaration, as in the past. No dividends have been paid on these policies for many years because the mortality and disability experience among this group has been such as not to provide any margin for dividends.

In both the NSLI and USGLI programs, the dividend payments depend on the plan of insurance, the age and year of issue, and the amount of insurance carried. They do not depend on the amount of the premium paid per \$1,000 of insurance.

## USAF Group Urges More Family Houses

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(b) More family-type housing, both on base and off base, to be provided in the near future through actions now in progress.

(c) All temporary type barracks will be replaced with more modern design and permanent type structures in a continuing program.

The conference, in three phases, began with a welcoming address by Maj. Gen. R. W. Burns, Assistant Vice Chief of Staff. Other speakers the first morning were Mr. John M. Ferry, Special Assistant for Installations, Office Secretary of the Air Force; Maj. Gen. Lee B. Washbourne, Assistant Chief of Staff, Installations; Brig. Gen. D. H. Tulley, Assistant for Military Operations, Office Chief of Engineers.

The second phase consisted of discussion sessions endeavoring to arrive at specific recommendations to correct major problems encountered in all facets of installations.

The third phase of the conference was devoted to the preparation of panel and committee reports, a general review of the conference, and an opportunity for all conferees to express their views regarding the specific recommendations developed by the committees. The Air Staff outlined its objectives with respect to follow-up actions indicated. General Washbourne delivered the closing remarks.

At the conclusion of each session, a panel or committee from among the conferees and the Air Staff conferred to formulate specific recommendations wherever appropriate for subsequent adoption or indorsement by the conference.

Among those participating were: Brig. Gen. C. Pratt Brown, Deputy ACS/I; Brig. Gen. J. F. Rodenhauer, D/Real Property, ACS/I; Col. Robert R. Conner, D/Construction, ACS/I; Col. W. T. Abbott, D/Facilities Support, ACS/I; Lt. Col. J. LaBuda, Hq Comd.; Col. A. V. Endress, TAC; Col. R. Canter, APGC; Col. D. H. Miller, ARDC; Col. R. F. Schirmer, ATRC; Col. F. W. Holt, FEAF; Col. E. C. Gill, AMC; Col. A. M. Musgrove, ConAC; Col. I. H. Impson, AAC; Col. C. B. Thompson, USAFIT; Col. C. F. Dryer, SAC; Col. M. H. Thompson, USAFE; Col. N. D. Dole, JUSMG; Col. M. T. Maxwell, ADC; Lt. Col. W. H. Ger-

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## Army Promotion Boards

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least 25 months' active service in grade as of that date.

Here is the run-down for all the promotion lists:

Captain to major	
Promotion list	Minimum active service in grade of captain (months)
Army	51
CH	60
WAC	57
MC	39
DC	51
VC	51
MSC	70
ANC	126
WMS	84

## First lieutenant to captain

First lieutenant to captain	
Promotion list	Minimum active service in grade of first lieutenant (months)
Army	25
CH	25
MC	25
DC	25
VC	25
WAC	36
MSC	44
ANC	43
WMSC	24

## Col. Bisbort Moves Up

Brig. Gen. Chas. G. Holle, USA, Division Engineer for the South Atlantic Division, Corps of Engineers, in Atlanta, Ga., has announced that Col. Harold E. Bisbort, USA, Assistant Division Engineer for the South Atlantic Division, with headquarters in Atlanta, will become District Engineer, Corps of Engineers, at Mobile, Ala., on 17 Dec. when Col. Harry L. Fox, USA, District Engineer there since October 1952, leaves for an overseas assignment.

Colonel Bisbort has been the Assistant Division Engineer in Atlanta since Aug. 1953.

## U. S. Army

### Col. C. W. Kohls Named X Corps QM at Ft. Riley

Col. Carl W. Kohls, Quartermaster Supply Office at the Utah General Depot, Ogden, Utah, received notice of his transfer to Ft. Riley, Kans., on 15 Dec. as Corps Quartermaster, Hdqs. X Corps. The X Corps Headquarters and X Corps Artillery will be transferred from Korea to Ft. Riley.

At a recent dinner dance approximately 140 friends and employees of the depot paid tribute to Col. Kohls and presented him a "Book of Memories" with photographs and cartoons depicting events during his stay at Utah General Depot.

Commanding General Herbert A. Hall praised Colonel Kohls' work while at the depot and reminded those in attendance at the dinner that the depot should feel honored for having one of our officers selected by the Quartermaster General for this important post.



Col. Kohls

### Gen. Truesdell Advances

President Eisenhower this week nominated Brig. Gen. Karl Truesdell, Jr., USAF, for temporary appointment in the rank of major general.

General Truesdell, former Chief of Staff to the Standing Group of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, has been assigned as Deputy U. S. Representative to the NATO Standing Group.

### 8th Inf. Div. Assignments

Lt. Col. Charles O. Reed has been named the new personnel and administration officer of the 8th Infantry "Golden Arrow" Division at Ft. Carson, Col. Colonel Reed replaces Maj. Arnold Kane, who has been reassigned as executive officer of the 3d Battalion, 28th Infantry Regiment.

Lt. Col. Arthur W. Marshall has been named supply and logistics officer for the Division.

### 3d Star For Gen's Herren, Ferenbaugh; Twelve Others Nominated By President

Major Generals Thomas W. Herren and Claude B. Ferenbaugh were nominated by President Eisenhower this week for three-star rank.

General Herren is Commanding General, First Army, and senior U. S. Army member of the Military Staff Committee of the United Nations.

General Ferenbaugh, former Chief of Staff, U. S. Army, Europe, has been assigned as Deputy Commanding General of Army Forces, Far East.

At the same time the President also

### ARMY AIDS RETIRED FIND JOBS

Army Secretary Robert T. Stevens disclosed this week that a program has been launched to help retired personnel find effective employment in civilian life. He said that "in the large majority of cases, the retired officer is a man in the prime of his powers, a proven leader, an experienced administrator."

Speaking to the Retired Officers Association convention, Mr. Stevens said that Maj. Gen. James C. Fry, Chief of the Army's Career Management Division, has started a program on his own initiative—but presumably with support of Pentagon superiors—to aid retired persons.

Officers recently retired have been invited to submit to General Fry statements of their qualifications for use in a brochure summarizing backgrounds and special talents of these men, together with area and job preferences.

The Secretary said that 1200 brochures were prepared and distributed at the personal expense of the officers involved.

"It's a little too early to evaluate the full impact of this project," said Mr. Stevens, "but already the results are beginning to show." He pointed to several firms which have either hired retired persons this way or are considering candidates, including the Chase National Bank and Glenn L. Martin Co.

Mr. Stevens said the Army has submitted General Fry's idea to the Defense Department for consideration by the other Services.

General Hertford, Deputy Assistant Chief of Staff (G-4), Research and Development, has been assigned as Chief of Research and Development, Office of the Chief of Staff, Washington, D. C.

Assignments for the brigadier generals are:

General Werner, Professor, Military Science and Tactics, Clemson University.

General Vissering, Headquarters, U. S. Army Forces, Far East.

General Conley, Chief, New York Military District, New York City.

General Frederick, Headquarters, U. S. Army Forces, Far East.

General Johnson, Chief, Michigan Military District, Detroit (effective 3 January).

General McAnsh, Chief, Illinois Military District.

General Wehle, Senior Advisor, VI ROK Corps, Far East.

General Morris, Headquarters, VII Corps, U. S. Army, Europe.

### NURSE PROGRAM BEGINS PAY-OFF

The first of hundreds of Army nurses expected to be commissioned through the Registered Nurse Student Program will be graduated 18 Dec. at Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn. She is 2d Lt. Irene L. Dittmore, who will report in January to the Medical Field Service School at Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Lieutenant Dittmore was commissioned in the Nurse Corps in March and continued her studies at Vanderbilt.

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Ft. Bliss, Tex., dedicated its new academic building, Hinman Hall, with a day-long program of events on the main post and on the desert ranges 23 Nov.

Dominating the heart of the main post, the new 2½-million-dollar structure is occupied by administrative and class operations of the Antiaircraft and Guided Missiles Branch of The Artillery School and also, at present, by headquarters of the Antiaircraft Artillery and Guided Missile Center.

Dedication activities on the main post opened with Honor Guard ceremonies and a 17-gun salute for the ranking military guest, General John E. Dahlquist, Chief, Army Field Forces.

The formal dedication ceremony was held in the 1150-seat auditorium in the new building. Maj. Gen. Paul W. Rutledge, Commanding General of Ft. Bliss, welcomed the visitors and gave a brief history of the Antiaircraft School.

General Dahlquist presented the dedicatory address. He noted the significance of the new building, saying that it "will

make more effective the research, development and the teaching that goes on here."

Brig. Gen. R. R. Hendrix, Assistant Commandant of the AA and GM Branch, presided at the ceremony.

Seated with Generals Dahlquist, Rutledge and Hendrix on the platform were Lt. Gen. S. R. Mickelsen, former Ft. Bliss commander, now head of the nation's Antiaircraft Command; Maj. Gen. G. Ralph Meyer (Ret.), Maj. Gen. Robert M. Montague, Deputy Commander of Army Field Forces; Brig. Gen. W. M. Breckinridge, Assistant to the Fourth Army Commander, and Ft. Bliss Chaplains, Col. Loren T. Jenks and Lt. Col. Joseph O'Brien, who offered the program prayers.

Those attending were invited to tour the new building and attend a special display of guided missiles and electronics equipment in Howze Stadium.

Meanwhile, on the Ft. Bliss Ranges, other events were drawing an attendance of thousands of spectators. An early-morning air drop of men and heavy equipment was presented at Dona Ana Dry Lake Bed, through cooperation of the Army and Air Force.

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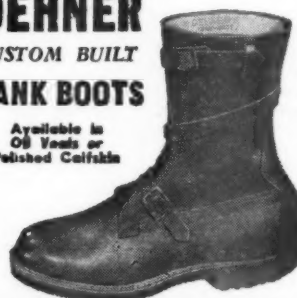
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## SecDef Wilson, Once "New Look" Engineer, Now Inter-Service FY '56 Mediator

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crease in Army combat-type divisions and a boost in Naval strength from prior targets.

Mr. Wilson's present role as judicious moderator contrasts with his earlier service and initial energetic "New Look" approach, punctuated with sharp and rapid-fire emphasis on defense reorganization engineering, coupled with ambitious economy objectives.

In short: "More bang for the buck." But a change has been in the making and the upcoming Fiscal Year '56 budget will show it.

It has been characteristic that the longer Pentagon chiefs are in office and the more knowledgeable they become in the involved process of racking up in the Fall of one year force levels and manpower and weapons disposition plans against projected global commitments in the Summer of the next year and for 12 months thereafter, that their attitude towards unilateral Service emphasis and dollar cuts grows more conservative.

The month-in-month-out living with awesome responsibilities tends inevitably to make Defense Secretaries increasingly cautious that the Nation have all its defense bets covered, no matter if this means abandonment of previously conceived notions and postponement, temporarily or indefinitely, of economy goals.

In effect, this comes to mean, after the "Fat into Muscle" and "New Look" surveys a renewed concentration on the availability of the right kind of "bang" for varied situations, even if this versatility costs something more than the pre-calculated "buck."

Mr. Wilson is no exception to this historic development at the Pentagon.

When he landed in Washington, he wasted no time in getting the "New Look" under way. It was at this point that the Air Force, though it suffered a hefty fiscal readjustment, scored a big inning.

The results of that review have been evidenced in the three military budgets

for which Mr. Wilson has had responsibility. In the foreseeable future, the Air Force will continue to be the pacesetter in the military budget.

But with the "New Look" maneuver accomplished and world tension still not relaxed the Services settled down to a "Long-Haul" defense situation. At this point, the Army, Navy and Marine Corps began to get in solid licks with the Defense Chief.

As a consequence, Mr. Wilson made the decision to curtail the cut-back in Army manpower. Instead of 17 divisions planned

in the "New Look" for 30 June 1955, the Army will grow to 24 tactical-type divisions.

The Navy found it possible and was authorized by the Secretary to keep more ships in active fleet service than originally forecast. Slight upward adjustments in Marine Corps strength were made in recognition of the fact that two of its three divisions are overseas.

Military budget planning is a dynamic phenomenon. Now, the problem will be to resolve the philosophy of the "New Look" impact which assigned clear-cut priority to air power and the "Long-Haul" approach super-imposed upon it.

Air Force Secretary Harold E. Talbott, apparently concerned that the front-running position of the Air Force could be threatened by diversionary expenditure

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of large sums to such forces as Army antiaircraft batteries and Navy "super carriers," spoke last week as follows at the National Press Club in Washington, D. C.

He said: "... the defense dollar doesn't all belong to the Air Force. I wish it did. Our defense structure has a definite and necessary requirement for ground and naval forces. There is a constant tug among the Services for a greater portion of the defense dollars."

In the FY '56 version of the "constant tug," the Army and Navy appear to be making gains. Air Force leaders will feel it is being scored at their expense.

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## U. S. Navy and U. S. Marine Corps

### USN Dental Facilities

#### Hurt By Re-Up Slump

The sharp drop in the reenlistment rate of Navy enlisted personnel is creating a serious problem at many dental facilities.

The Bureau of Medicine and Surgery reports that "it is not uncommon to see one technician trying to assist three dental officers."

As late as six months ago there was an excess of technicians at many Naval dental facilities. These were the final increment of technicians who were trained as a result of the Korean War. At the peak of training during fiscal year 1952, for example, a total of 1814 dental technicians were trained in the Navy's three Class A schools.

Only 399, however, were trained in fiscal 1954, a reduction of 78 per cent.

To meet this critical situation, the Dental Division, Bureau of Medicine and Surgery plans to increase the number of recruits who will be stepped into its Class A schools. The increase, BuMed says, will be reflected in classes beginning in January 1955, resulting in more technicians in dental facilities four months later. Even this step-up of Class A training "will not be sufficient to meet the needs of the Naval Dental Service"; more trainees may have to be obtained from strikers in dental facilities.

### RAdm. Brittain Honored

RAdm. Thomas B. Brittain, USN, former Senior Member, United Nations Command Military Armistice Commission, was awarded his fifth Legion of Merit in ceremonies at Far East and United Nations Commands headquarters in Tokyo recently.



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### A-Power Not Near For Destroyer Force

The use of atomic power for propulsion of destroyers will not become a reality for a number of years, in the opinion of RAdm. William K. Mendenhall, Jr., USN.

Admiral Mendenhall, who has been Chairman, Ship Characteristics Board, and also Director, Fleet Development and Maintenance Division, Office of CNO, since January, told THE JOURNAL that "the nuclear reactor does not yet give enough power per pound to make it attractive as a source of power for a destroyer."

As Director of the Division, the Admiral is in constant contact with the work of all other Bureaus and Divisions. He is informed about the most recent developments in all fields relating to improvements of the materiel of the entire fleet.

The work of his Division is not limited to planning on a year-to-year basis. On the contrary, the Division continually reviews ship requirements for a period covering seven years.

The major consideration, of course, is for the immediate future. At present, a detailed plan for the fiscal year 1956 program has been worked out, as well as preliminary plans for the fiscal 1957 program.

The Admiral's Board, acting upon military requirements which come from the CNO, lays down schemes for fleet improvement and prepares recommendations which are passed on to the Bureau of Ships. Many of the recommendations include specifications regarding armament, armor, speed, cruising radius, type of engine, electronics equipment, living space, and other special features. It is the job of the Bureau of Ships to do the actual blueprinting.

### Revamp Dest. Forces

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in the fleet. They have stressed the need for new types of ships.

Now embarked on a billion-dollar program of ship conversion and construction, the Navy is expected to request at least another billion for fiscal year 1956 so that it can continue fleet modernization and new construction projects.

Guided by military requirements outlined by the CNO, the Ship Characteristics Board has just completed a six-month study of destroyer characteristics and developed the four-type operational concept.

In arriving at this conclusion, the Board, headed by RAdm. William K. Mendenhall, Jr., USN, was faced with the impending block obsolescence of a large group of destroyers.

About 66 2/3 per cent of the destroyers now on active duty have already reached the two-thirds mark in their normal life span. The bulk of WWII destroyers were built within a five year period and in a few years all ships of that era will be obsolete.

Admiral Mendenhall told THE JOURNAL that the Navy is "aiming at simplification and economy," while at the same time trying to equip the fleet with destroyers capable of efficiently doing all the jobs which could possibly be assigned under any set of circumstances.

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### Court Rules Against Officer In Pay Case

The Court of Claims ruled this week that a Naval Reserve officer who was held in a Japanese POW camp during WW II is entitled to collect pay for ranks to which he was subsequently promoted only from the date on which his appointments were made by the President.

LCdr. William A. Berry was captured by the Japanese at Corregidor in May 1942 while serving as an Ensign and liberated at Manila in February 1945. Subsequently he was promoted to Lt. (jg), to rank from 1 Oct. 1942, to Lt., to rank from 1 Nov. 1943, and to LCdr. to rank from 3 Oct. 1945. The dates on which his appointments were made by the President, however, did not coincide with the dates of rank stated in his commission.

The Court of Claims ruled that Commander Berry was promoted under the provisions of the temporary promotion act of 1941 which entitles him only to pay and allowances of the higher rank from the date on which the appointments were made by the President.

The Court noted that "The fact that we have great sympathy for plaintiff because he languished in a Japanese prison camp, suffered the privations of a prisoner of war and was not given the same privileges as his fellow officers with regard to promotion and pay and allowances, does not give us the right to speculate as to the intent of Congress when the language of the act is clear."

### USMC Adds Thailand To Foreign Tours Table

Thailand has been added to the Marine Corps table which fixes specific lengths of foreign service tours for Marines.

Marine Corps Memo No. 101-54 states that those who serve with the JUSMAG there must complete a tour of 12 months, excluding travel time to and from Thailand.

At the same time, the Memo states, officers and men who serve 12 months on Guam, Kwajalein, or in the Philippine Islands, will be required to be rotated to Security Forces in Japan or the Hawaiian Islands to complete 24 months of foreign service.

Those serving a tour of duty on Kwajalein must complete a minimum of six months after the arrival of dependents on station.

The original table of tours of duty for foreign service appeared in THE JOURNAL of 1 May.

### Proposes Navy Take Over Alameda Medical Depot

The Defense Department announced plans this week, subject to approval of the Senate Armed Services Committee, for the transfer of the Alameda Medical Depot, Calif., from the jurisdiction of the Army to the Navy.

Thomas P. Pike, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Supply and Logistics, said he hoped the transfer could be accomplished by next July. Secretary Pike also announced that the Medical Supply Test which has been in operation at the Depot since April 1952, has been discontinued.



CAMP LEJEUNE, N. C.—Brig. Gen. Russell N. Jordahl, Chief of Staff, Marine Corps Base, presents a trophy to Mrs. E. L. Everett, champion of the September-October tournament of the Women's Golf Association at the Paradise Point course. Other trophy winners were: Mrs. F. R. Roberson, Mrs. R. E. Rapp, Mrs. E. W. Murphy, Mrs. R. B. Luckey, Mrs. J. B. Broadus, Mrs. R. W. Wallace and Mrs. L. A. Murphy.

### President Nominates Marine Flag Officers

Twenty Marine Corps officers were nominated by President Eisenhower this week for temporary general officer ranks.

The group, whose nominations went to the Senate on 30 Nov., includes seven for the rank of major general and 13 for the rank of brigadier general. They are:

#### To Major General

Ridgely, R. H., Jr. Litzenberg, Homer L.  
Hogaboom, Robert E. Burger, Joseph C.  
McCauley, Verne J. Snedeker, Edward W.  
Wornham, Thomas A.

#### To Brig. General

Jordahl, Russell N. Juhon, Jack P.  
Munn, John C. Wirsig, Frank H.  
Luckey, Robert B. Binney, Arthur F.  
Ennis, Thomas G. Hansen, Harold D.  
Croft, Frank C. Dyer, Edward C.  
Victory, Randall M. Roberts, Carson A.  
Berkeley, James P.

### 3d Marines in N. Y. Elect A. M. Josephy President

Alvin M. Josephy, Jr., has been elected President of the recently organized New York Metropolitan Chapter of the Third Marine Division Association.

At the same time, Milburn McCarty was elected Secretary-Treasurer, and Paul C. Smith, Robert I. Kriendler, Ralph Horgan, Raymond Henri, Robert M. Simpson and Edward A. Galiskis were named to the Executive Committee of the new chapter.

Further information can be had by writing to Third Marine Division Association, U. S. M. C., 346 Broadway, New York City.

### Capt. Guy E. Stahr Heads NNMCM School

Capt. Guy E. Stahr, MC, USN, has assumed the duties of Commanding Officer, Navy Medical School, National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md.

He reported to his new assignment from the U. S. Naval Hospital, Camp Pendleton, Calif.

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Thus, although Mr. Talbott spoke at the Press Club of hopes for \$15-\$16 billion in new money for the Air Force in the budget which goes to Congress in January, the figure is much more likely to be closer to the former than the latter.

Mr. Wilson at his news conference this week spoke of four areas in which new money requests will be increased. They are military pay, reserve forces, continental defense, and guided missiles and rockets.

He said also "it's a good bet" the Navy will get another Forrestal carrier, which will make five of the 10 or 12 the Navy has said it needs.

Probably \$1 billion for Navy ship construction will be included in the new budget.

Asked to comment at his news conference on reports that the Air Force would add new wings to the Strategic Air Command, Mr. Wilson said, "I know of no important change in the program."

During the course of his meeting with reporters, Mr. Wilson was asked to comment on the tenor of Mr. Talbott's address, which stressed the relative importance of offensive power over defense against atomic attack by an enemy.

Said Mr. Wilson: "You can't go to any one of these extremes and say the whole thing is offense—no defense, all defense, no offense."

"You are bound to be wrong and the truth and the reasonableness of the thing is down the middle."

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He explained, however, that under the four-type concept, each ship would not need to be able to perform identical missions. "There is no sense in sending out a man to do a boy's job," the Admiral said. On the other hand, he noted "There is no reason why a boy can't be sent out to do a boy's job."

In other words, each of the four proposed destroyer types will be designed for the performance of specific missions, rather than being required to do every job.

The largest type will be assigned to fast task forces. In other instances, however, where the possibility of enemy air attack is not very likely, the smallest escort type will be able to provide the best anti-submarine protection to merchant ship convoys. During WWII, Admiral Mendenhall pointed out, destroyers with heavy anti-aircraft potential were often assigned escort duty on routes where imminent danger from air attack was at a minimum. If the four-type destroyer concept had been in existence at that time, the smallest of the destroyer escorts would have been able to carry

out the mission with a resultant saving of tax dollars.

It would take the Navy about three years to begin putting the new concept into operation, Admiral Mendenhall said, from the time Congress appropriates the necessary funds.

The destroyers will have a high degree of protection from air and undersea attack and larger cruising radius than present types. Some will stress the very latest anti-submarine warfare detection devices and anti-submarine weapons, with improved control systems.

The fastest type will have a speed of over 34 knots, while the slowest of the proposed types will have a speed of about 20 knots. The largest type will cost over \$40 million. The Admiral stated that four of the ocean going escorts could be built

for that amount. The two intermediate types will cost approximately \$30 to \$40 million.

From the time of authorization by Congress, it would take about 18 months to construct the small escort.

The function of the Ship Characteristics Board is not limited to the improvement of the Navy's destroyer forces. As its name indicates, the Board has the responsibility for a continuing review of all fleet vessels and equipment.

## AWMSP Assignments

The Army Women's Medical Specialist Corps has announced reassignment of three officers.

Maj. Louise D. Christman, chief physi-

cal therapist at Madigan Army Hospital, Wash., will become chief of the Physical Therapy Section at Walter Reed Army Hospital, Washington, to succeed Lt. Col. Agnes P. Snyder, who has been appointed chief of the Physical Therapist Section of the Corps. Maj. Eleanor M. Marshall succeeds Maj. Felle W. Clark, who retired from active duty 30 Nov., as chief of the Physical Therapy Section at William Beaumont Army Hospital, Ft. Bliss, Tex. Maj. Ruth A. Robinson will report to Walter Reed Army Hospital as chief of the Occupational Therapy Section. She will succeed Maj. Kathryn Maurice, who will attend the WAC Advanced Officer Course.

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**GENERAL WILLIAM H. TUNNER** (right), Commander in Chief, USAF, receives the first Dutch airfield to be turned over to the United States. Making the presentation was the Dutch Minister of War Cornelius Staf (left). The field, located at Soesterberg, Holland, will base the 512th Squadron of the U. S. Air Force.

### Warner Robins AMA Wins Talbott Trophy Again

The Warner Robins Air Materiel Area has been awarded the Nelson S. Talbott Trophy the second consecutive time for attaining the highest performance in procurement and production among the eight Air Materiel Areas.

The trophy presented to the WRAMA Commander, Maj. Gen. K. E. Tibbetts, has been held in the WRAMA headquarters the past quarter and will be retained here an additional three months.

The trophy was established by the present Secretary of the Air Force in memory of his brother, the late Brig. Gen. Nelson S. Talbott.

## New MATS Chiefs Will Go To School

Senior officers newly assigned to MATS will undergo a MATS "familiarization" course at Palm Beach AFB, Fla. The first class will begin 17 Jan.

Included in the initial group will be RADM Thomas Williamson, USN, MATS Vice-Commander.

Actually called the Staff Officers Indoctrination Course, the new program is being prepared by PBAFB's Training Analysis and Development Section. The TA&D Section is primarily concerned with the PBAFB mission of training ground and air crews to man the Air Force's heavy and medium air transport and amphibious aircraft.

Purpose of the course is to provide senior officers who are newly assigned to MATS with a briefing on the purpose, organization and mission of MATS. The five-day course will include a briefing on MATS activities, its five support services, (AWS, ARS, APCS, AACs and FS) and familiarization with the various types of MATS aircraft.

Secondarily, the five-day course will include familiarization with the facilities and capabilities of the 1707th ATW.

The course will supplement the regular staff briefing given the officer by the MATS command to which he will be assigned. Lectures, movies and short flights on various MATS aircraft will be included in the indoctrination.

Project officer for this program is Maj. James A. Talbot of the Training Analysis and Development section of the 1707th ATW.

### SAMARITAN SQDN.

The 1733d Air Transport Squadron (Air Evac) at Travis AFB, Calif., has become the first Air Force squadron fully equipped and operational with the new twin-engine Convair C-131A Samaritan.

They replace the Douglas C-54 Sky-master and Douglas C-47 Skytrain.

Lt. Col. Donald R. Caloff, USAF, is squadron commander.



**OFFICIALS OF THE STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND'S** dependents assistance program are greeted upon their arrival at Travis Air Force Base by Brig. Gen. Edwin B. Broadhurst (left), Fifth Wing commander, and Brig. Gen. Stanley J. Donovan, 14th Air Division commander. The ladies, Mrs. Curtis E. LeMay (left), wife of the SAC commander and originator of the program, and Mrs. Elizabeth Kennedy, coordinator for the Offutt AFB, Nebr., program, held a conference with the local assistance committee and observed the Travis program in operation before departing for Castle AFB, Calif. The women are on a tour of all assistance programs at stateside SAC bases.

## AF Logistics System Held Out-of-Date

The Air Force is operating with an inherited logistic system which, "no matter how admirably it served others in the past, is not tailored to the needs of either air defense or air offense."

That belief was expressed 29 Nov. by Brig. Gen. John P. Doyle, USAF director of transportation for the Air Force. He spoke at the opening session of the sixth annual Air Cargo and Air Logistics Days, sponsored by the American Society of Mechanical Engineers at New York City.

General Doyle said: "the systems, procedures and equipment with which we react cannot be built, as in World Wars I and II, after the need occurs. They must be in being."

He called for the creation of a logistic system, including communications and all modes of transportation, that would exploit to the maximum "the power and flexibility inherent in our new (nuclear) weapon."

Other speakers at the session were Thomas V. Jones, deputy chief engineer, Northrop Aircraft, Inc., Hawthorne, Calif.; G. S. Schaller, chief of technical staff, Boeing Aircraft Company, Seattle; Harold D. Hoekstra, chief project officer, Aircraft Engineering Division, Civil Aeronautics Administration, Washington, D. C.; C. J. Walker, manager of preliminary design, Aircraft Gas Tur-

bine Division, General Electric Company, Cincinnati; Russell S. Hall, section head, Allison Division, General Motors Corporation, Indianapolis; and Ralph L. Bayless, assistant chief engineer, research and development, Convair, San Diego, Calif.

The papers presented at the ASME meeting this week will serve as the technical foundation for an Air Logistics Conference to be held 16 Dec. at Andrews AFB, Md., location of Military Air Transport Service headquarters. Principal speakers at the conference, which is to be sponsored by the Air Force Association, will include Air Force Secretary Harold E. Talbott; Air Force Chief of Staff General Nathan F. Twining; and Donald W. Douglas, sr., president of Douglas Aircraft Company.

Other speakers at the New York session included:

Donald Douglas, jr., vice president for military sales, Douglas Aircraft Company; Robert W. Middlewood, chief engineer, Georgia Division, Lockheed Aircraft Corporation.

Paul J. Lynch and Bernard J. Simons, project engineers, Convair division of General Dynamics Corporation; Maurice Hurel, president, Avions Hurel-Dubois, Mendon, France.

Col. James N. Sammons, USAF, chief of Packaging and Materials Handling Division, office, Deputy Chief of Staff, material and transportation, Washington, D. C.; Maj. Archie J. Clapp, Tactics and Techniques Board, Marine Corps Development Center, Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, Va.

### SIX-MONTH RE-UP FOR SCARCE SKILLS

The Air Force, as part of its drive to retain airmen with critical skills, will permit some men to reenlist up to six months after separation without loss of grade. Normally, the limit is 90 days.

Former airmen possessing scarce skills—they are listed in AFL 39-30—will be given the six months retention-of-grade privilege. However, the reenlistment bonus is not payable when an individual has been separated over 90 days.

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## AF Basics Get Leave, Benefits Are Cited

Effective this month, graduates of Air Force basic training will receive a 10-day leave or delay en route.

Air Force officials say the new policy will reduce unused cash settlements, raise morale of new recruits and stimulate recruiting efforts in home communities.

Heretofore, basic training graduates received no interim leave before reporting to first duty station.

### AF Boosts Billets For Short Tours

The Air Force has told major commands they will be able to increase "short tour" training for Reservists by about 160 per cent over previous plans.

Revised programming during hearings on the FY '56 budget resulted in decision for 2003 tours for designees and 3,932 for Air Reserve Unit members with training designations.

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## Col. Benford Tells of "Reporting Military Medicine"

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because of the need for medical care of our occupation troops and their families, our far-flung military missions, and those strategic forces allied with the NATO nations—is extending the most recent advances of American medical research and practice to the four corners of the earth. The professional observations, clinical achievements and combat experiences of these officers frequently are published in the *United States Armed Forces Medical Journal*.

Born in the 1949 era of unification, this Journal is celebrating its fifth anniversary with the appearance of the issue for Dec. 1954. Its worthy predecessors, the *Bulletin of the U. S. Army Medical Department* and the *U. S. Naval Medical Bulletin*, were suspended in Dec. 1949, in favor of a joint professional publication representing the medical services of our three military departments.

Under its own charter and joint regulations of the Army, Navy and Air Force, the Armed Forces Medical Publication Agency publishes the Journal and its supplement, the *Medical Technicians Bulletin*, under general policies of Dr. Frank B. Berry, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Health and Medical). Its staff includes an officer of the Medical Corps of the Army, Navy and Air Force, one of whom is editor and the others associate editors. The position of editor is rotated every two years. The Agency's publications are printed by the Government Printing Office and distribution is made by the three Services in accordance with the recommendations of the respective Surgeons General.

In Turkey, recently, a U. S. Army doctor aided in tracing the source of an epidemic of typhoid fever among immunized soldiers of that country. Reporting from a hospital ship, two Navy surgeons performed what are believed to be the first cardiac operations in Korea on native patients. In Alaska an Air Force Flight surgeon treated more than 100 Eskimos during a severe outbreak of diphtheria. Others have observed Q fever in French

Morocco, and yellow fever in Panama, viral hepatitis in Germany and fear of flying in Korea. A particularly alert physician, in collaboration with a local medical practitioner, studied certain neurologic diseases on Guam and reported that amyotrophic lateral sclerosis is at least 100 times as prevalent on that island as in the United States and Canada. Another has called attention to an hitherto undescribed area of leprosy endemicity in the American Samoa group. An ophthalmologist in Hawaii has compared the refractive errors found in oriental and caucasian trainees. In Saudi Arabia medical officers have encountered a variety of exotic tropical diseases that are rarely observed in this country. A U. S. military hospital commander in England drew a valuable lesson from a severe epidemic of poliomyelitis in Copenhagen where, at the peak of the outbreak, 50 patients were admitted a day, one third of whom were paralytic. All of these reports have appeared in the *Armed Forces Medical Journal*.

Officers in military hospitals are continually seeking new methods of treatment and administration that will shorten the patient's convalescence and assure his prompt return to duty. Patients with fractures and those with duodenal ulcers are frequent subjects of such studies. A dentist at one Army post worked out a system that resulted in a 50% reduction in man-hours lost because of extensive dental treatment. Larger military medical centers have contributed notably to new medical knowledge in such important fields as frost bite, vascular surgery, use of antibiotics, treatment of tuberculosis, management of psychiatric cases in the combat zone and the

selection of men for hazardous duty.

The worldwide circulation of the *Armed Forces Medical Journal* reached a high of nearly 40,000 copies per issue during the Korean war. For the past three years, it has averaged 31,000 copies each month. These figures do not include paid subscribers who are served by the Superintendent of Documents. The *Journal* is received by all medical service officers on active duty and many Reserve officers in private practice. It goes to all medical and dental school libraries in the United States and Canada, and to many in South America and Europe. It is sent to nearly 200 editors of other medical journals in exchange for their publications.

In the sixty issues published in the past five years, the *Journal* has printed a total of 1,198 signed articles. Of these, 1,130, or 94%, were contributed by Regular and Reserve officers of the medical services. The remainder came from authors without military affiliations. The published reports have been informative, diverse and sometimes controversial. They cover professional, and often administrative, aspects of the medical sciences including all of the clinical specialties.

In its regular departments, the *Journal* has brought its readers information and news of both military and medical interest. Broad coverage is given to new books and monographs in the medical sciences. A total of 1,313 reviews of current volumes by qualified specialists have been published. Advance scientific programs of national medical meetings of military significance, including the names of participating officers and their subjects, are published periodically. A list of medical service authors and the titles of their scientific reports published in other journals, together with the

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names of other officers receiving official decorations, are regular monthly features. The obituary notices of 69 medical service officers on active duty have appeared during 1954. Beginning in Jan. 1955, the *Journal* will bring its readers each month the report of a clinicopathologic conference presented in one of the larger Army, Navy or Air Force hospitals.

The *Journal* is a medium which enables authors to share their new professional knowledge with fellow officers and practitioners everywhere. In the years to come, it will continue to aid the military medical services in their mission of maintaining the health of our fighting forces.

## Alaskan Highway Named For 1st Elmendorf Comdr.

The 7½-mile portion of the Glenn Highway linking Ft. Richardson and Elmendorf AFB in Alaska has been renamed in honor of the late Col. Everett S. Davis, first commander of Elmendorf Airfield when it was still a part of Ft. Richardson.

Col. Barney A. Daughtry, Ft. Richardson commander, and Col. Horace D. Aynesworth, Elmendorf commander, unveiled one of the memorial signs and officially dedicated the highway 19 Nov.

## Mortgage Insurance

Complete details concerning administration of the new Home Loan benefits for active duty Army personnel are reported in AR 608-8.

It is headed "Personal Affairs," with "Mortgage Insurance for Service Members" the subheading.

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**PXs And Morale.** It is heartening to know that the forthcoming renewed attack on the Services' post exchange systems will be countered by demands that the scope of the PXs be expanded rather than restricted.

There seems to be little doubt but that the retail associations, whose last attack on these facilities of the Service families was so stoutly rebuffed by the report of the House Armed Services Subcommittee, are girding for renewed battle. In fact, they probably will be joined this time by certain petroleum interests who want to take gasoline stations away from the PXs.

However, the exchange service has operated well within the restrictions imposed by its agreement with the Armed Services Committee. Unless political considerations are allowed to confuse the issue, the PXs can easily defend themselves. As reported elsewhere in this issue, the Army and Air Force Exchange Service has taken every step to improve its service and keep prices down without going into areas forbidden by the agreement.

But there is no doubt that agreement is too restrictive. It bars the PXs from offering Service families many necessities they need and should have. Two definite areas are children's clothing and automobile accessories. Air Force Secretary Harold E. Talbott, who has made a close personal study of morale, feels that the exchanges should be broadened to include everything the man or woman in the Service wants. In addressing the National Press Club last week, the Secretary reported that he has from time to time received letters of complaint from various merchant associations. They ask, he said, why an officer should be privileged to buy refrigerators, televisions, or electric ranges from his PX (which he can not do under current regulations). Mr. Talbott declared he points out in reply that 78 per cent of our commissioned officers and 41 per cent of our career enlisted men are married. He asserted they are entitled to just as fine a life as men in any other business or profession in America. In fact, Mr. Talbott is in favor of restoring the former system of special order purchases which so aroused the ire of local merchants.


Mr. Talbott set forth for his audience of newsmen the minimum program he will support to maintain the quality of preparedness on which our survival depends. His program includes "improvement of our commissaries and post exchanges." In this improvement the Secretary wants to see the inventory of items carried increased and prices reduced to the minimum necessary to operate.

**Utilizing Retired Personnel.** A growing recognition of the value of our retired Service personnel to the Nation was reflected by Army Secretary Robert T. Stevens in his address this week to the Retired Officers Association Convention.

"America," the Secretary said, "can ill afford to put on the shelf men of such tremendous capability, and I am happy to note that among our most thoughtful citizens there seems to be a rapidly increasing awareness of that fact. \* \* It would be impossible to rate too highly the contributions made to the Nation's welfare by retired officers—in so many fields."

Mr. Stevens also revealed an interesting project, thus far carried on under the private initiative of Maj. Gen. James C. Fry, Chief of the Army's Career Management Division. General Fry has worked with recently retired officers to produce a brochure summarizing their backgrounds and special talents and their area and job preferences. This brochure was distributed to key industries. Already such firms as the Chase National Bank, the Corvey Engineering Com-

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pany, and the Glenn L. Martin Company have selected and employed retired officers from this brochure.

The Army now has submitted General Fry's idea to the Department of Defense for consideration of other Services whose retired officers may be interested.

However, we feel that such an important project, with its vast implications for future aid to National Defense, should be undertaken and supported by the Department itself rather than having the individuals bear the expense, as is now done.

As Mr. Stevens said: "There are few fields in which retired officers are not outstanding."

**Vitalize USCOA.** The 84th Congress should give careful attention to serious problems which have arisen in implementation of USCOA, the Uniformed Services Contingency Option Act. Particular concern should be paid to the fact that only a small percentage of eligible retired personnel have found it possible—on an average income of \$2,400 per year—to participate in the annuity plan under current premium costs.

The Retired Officers' Association points out, as

## READERS' VIEWS

(Letters to the Editor must have author's name and address, but name will be omitted on publication if writer so states. Longer letters may be extracted for publication.)

### Scrape Off the Barnacles!

Editor, THE JOURNAL:

May one raise a faint voice in the wilderness on the subjects of Career Incentives, personnel turnover, the pay raise question and related matters? I say a faint voice, for as regards the pay raise I'm one regular career officer who is agin' it. Matter of fact, I was against the last one and the one before that. All we received on those occasions was a little more paper, a little less value per dollar (when the civilians in and around the service bases raised their prices to keep pace with the increases), a hike in taxes, a nudge closer to inflation and small if any stemming of the flood of men accepting discharges and resigning from the Armed Forces.

The experts, the boards, the committees, all proclaim the doctrine, "More dough means we attract and retain a better type of individual in the Service." To which I reply, . . . well, I guess "Nuts" is printable. Show me the man who is in the Service for money and I'll show you the most unsatisfactory type of in-

dividual insofar as the "Good of the Service" is concerned. A mercenary makes at best an unreliable military man. People who soldier for money and not for love of the profession are next to worthless. A true professional pursues a military career for such un-lucrative motives as patriotism, devotion to duty, desire for responsibility and command, association with fellow-professionals and the satisfaction of doing something different and important.

Instead of fighting for a pay raise why not battle for restoration of all our commissary, PX, Officer and NCO Club privileges, medical care for dependents, and base housing programs, all of which spell more value for our dollars and which administer less of a beating to the American taxpayer?

The aforementioned have all been cited, along with a pay raise, as incentives to retain men in the Service. Yet I seriously fear that while they help, they in themselves will not cause our young men to choose a lifetime military career.

I have been forced to the conclusion that the reason we are losing so

many splendid individuals, both commissioned and enlisted, to civilian pursuits is NOT because of inequities between military and civilian pay and benefits. Many persons I have known, particularly officers and senior NCO's, admit they will make less money on the outside. Why then do they leave? Because there are so many inefficient, insipid, colorless, lackluster, bungling, unimaginative, fat-headed, paper-loving, red-tape-manufacturing, bureaucratic senior nincompoops in positions of both staff and command who cling like barnacles to the Armed Forces, (principally for money), who literally force the good men out. Raising the pay won't solve anything. The barnacles will remain and the good men will still go out, many of them muttering: "I love the Service, but I can't stomach another day under that monumental jackass!"

So, for a career incentives program, I suggest holding what we have in the money department, fighting to regain our fringe benefits and above all a vigorous barnacle scraping campaign.

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reported in detail in the "Retired Review" section of this issue, that the Government gives assistance in all other annuity programs affecting Federal personnel. "In programs such as these, it is only the military which is asked to bear the full costs," it is related.

In addition to a new look at USCOA, Congress next year should eliminate current discrimination in administration of Social Security benefits for Service personnel. THE JOURNAL has described in recent issues the grossly distorted situation which now results in the denial of Social Security benefits to certain long-term personnel who may have identical service with others who are eligible for benefits.

The Services have been told that the Administration will send to the Capitol as a "priority" measure a bill to carry out the recommendations of the Kaplan Report covering Survivor Benefits for those who die on active duty. This is heartening news. However, it is likewise important that benefits for survivors of retired personnel also receive study in light of new information and discriminatory situations which have become known during recent months.

## IN THE JOURNAL

**10 Years Ago**—The Allied Armies have made very substantial gains in the south and center of the 500-mile long line. Having penetrated the Vosges Mountains, they are reaching the Rhine River in the South. They are closing in on Saarbrücken and the industrial valley of the Saar in the center. But in the north the Nazis are still investing troops and tanks in a last-ditch defense of the plains which front Cologne and the Ruhr Valley.

**50 Years Ago**—The board appointed to select a site for a naval training station on the Lakes has decided that Lake Bluff, Ill., is most desirable. The report of the board having been approved by President Roosevelt, nothing now remains except for the citizens of Chicago to carry out their intention to transfer the necessary ground, valued at \$175,000, to the Navy Department.

**90 Years Ago**—Mrs. Bixby, a widow of the Eleventh District of Boston, whose sixth son is now in the Readville Hospital as a result of wounds received in battle, has received the following letter from the President of the United States:

"Dear Madam:—I have been shown in the files of the War Department a statement of the Adjutant-General of Massachusetts that you are the mother of five sons who have died gloriously on the field of battle. I feel how weak and fruitless must be any words of mine which should attempt to beguile you from the grief of a loss so overwhelming. But I cannot refrain from tendering to you the consolation that may be found in the thanks of the Republic they died to save. I pray that our Heavenly Father may assuage the anguish of your bereavement, and leave you only the cherished memory of the loved and lost, and the solemn pride that must be yours to have laid so costly a sacrifice upon the altar of freedom. Yours, very sincerely and respectfully. A. LINCOLN."



## Pay Raise Urged By Retiring Officers; Also Ask Tax Revision, Academy Credit

The drive for a military pay raise received an additional boost this week as the Retired Officers Association urged a cost-of-living pay adjustment for uniformed personnel.

At their biennial convention in Washington, D. C., on 29 Nov., the Retired Officers adopted a resolution advocating and supporting legislation to "grant further increases in pay equally to active and retired personnel of the uniformed services so as to provide equality between the treatment of civilian and uniformed personnel of the Federal Government."

The pay raise, the Association said, also should "compensate for increased cost of living, since 1 Oct. 1949."

Although the 82d Congress increased the pay of active and retired military personnel, the ROA noted, the increases "were less than those provided for civilian employees of the Federal Government." Also, the increases were not comparable to the increased living costs up to that time, the Association said, and "there have been further increases in living costs since the increase in pay."

Copies of the resolution calling for a military pay raise were ordered to be transmitted to the responsible Defense Department leaders and to the chairmen of the appropriate Congressional Committees.

### Resolutions

Other resolutions passed by the group would:

1—Give all active and retired military personnel credit (for both pay and longevity purposes) for time spent as cadets or midshipmen.

2—Equalize retirement benefits permitted under the so-called Johnson Amendment to the Career Compensation Act so as to give retired officers, regular and reserve, retired for any cause, 75% of their basic pay, provided they served in any capacity in the Armed Forces prior to 12 Nov. 1918 and had at least 15 full years of full time active service at time of retirement.

3—Remove the prohibition in the new Internal Revenue Code which denies a \$1200 tax credit to retired military personnel under 65.

4—Amend the Uniformed Services Contingency Options Act (USCOA) so that the Federal Government would "share equitably the levies for the payments to the widows and dependents of deceased retired personnel and provide for a new period of time for election."

5—Remove present restrictions and

prohibitions against employment by the Government of retired officers of the Armed Services.

6—Give retirement promotions to officers specially commended or decorated for WWI or WWII service.

7—Give rehabilitation pay to Reserve officers released from active duty.

8—Strengthen the Reserve program by providing improved training facilities, equipment and programs to encourage interest, efficiency and competence.

9—Give members of the Public Health Service the same death gratuity benefits authorized for the other uniformed services.

10—Provide medical care for personnel retired under Title III of PL 810, 80th Congress.

11—Provide that all retired personnel of the uniformed services have the right to receive treatment at service hospitals.

### Family Medical Care

Additionally, the Retired Officers adopted resolutions supporting the Moulton Committee Report on dependent medical care, the Kaplan Report on survivor's benefits, and the Womble Report on career attractiveness.

The Association said it advocates and supports the proposals made by the Moulton Committee but "opposes the exclusion of dependents of members of the Coast Guard and dependents of members retired under Title III, PL 810, 80th Congress."

In calling for an amendment to USCOA, the group noted that "less than 10 per cent of eligible retired personnel" have elected an option under the Act and that the contribution required of a previously retired officer with no physical disability "is without any apparent reason approximately 30 per cent larger than that made on an active duty officer with the same age and survivor obligation."

### Honor Adm. Henderson

During the convention, the ROA paid tribute to the late Admiral Harry G. Hamlet, who served as President of the Association from Feb. 1948 until the time of his death on 24 Jan. 1954, and lauded the services of Admiral Robert Henderson who has served on the Board of Directors for a longer period than any other person. Admiral Henderson was made a President Emeritus of the Association.

Eleven members were re-elected to

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## Drive Will Be Made To Cut USCOA Costs, Affords New Chance For Retired Choice

An effort will be made in the 84th Congress to amend the Uniformed Services Contingency Option Act—USCOA—to reduce premium payments and afford another opportunity for retired personnel to make a new option choice.

The Retired Officers Association has served notice it will attempt to achieve modifications of USCOA. This is the Act which permits military persons to accept reduced retired pay in order to provide annuities for survivors.

The Retired Officers Association says that less than 10 per cent of those on retired lists have elected one of the four options permitted in the legislation.

"No one seriously doubted the worth of the plan when enacted," the ROA has told a Congressional subcommittee. "The failure of so many to avail themselves of its benefits was due, in our opinion, to the prohibitive cost."

What is the answer to this problem? The ROA says there are three parts.

The ROA first recommends that cost tables be recalculated to provide one set of figures instead of the present three, covering (1) those retired for physical disability; (2) those retired before 1 May 1954 for reasons other than physical disability; and (3) those retired after 30 Apr. 1954 for reasons other than physical disability.

It was stated that those in group (2) pay more than 30 per cent above the cost

to those in group (3).

The ROA contends that it was the intent of Congress that there be a single table. It says consideration should not be given to the physical condition of any retired member, since no medical examination is required by USCOA for a member to elect an option.

Aside from the problem of three tables, the ROA argues that the Government should assume "some substantial portion of the cost of the plan."

The Association comments: "There appears to be no governmental program for annuities or insurance benefits in which the government does not bear a substantial part of the cost. In programs such as these, it is only the military which is asked to bear the full costs."

The Association, whose president is Lt. Gen. Willard S. Paul, USA-Ret., undoubtedly will launch an energetic effort soon after the 84th Congress convenes to win consideration of fundamental changes in implementation of USCOA.

However, there is a widespread feeling that this will be a difficult proposition, since there will be a strong feeling at the Capitol that more time is needed to study operation of the law.

Whatever the ultimate outcome, the ROA will present its case, possibly during hearings on the new Survivor Benefits legislation (the Kaplan Report) covering those who die while on active duty.

## COMMENT ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS No Blockade of Red China

THE Administration's firm decision for no "war action" against Red China, under present conditions, in response to Peiping's outrageous breach of international law in the imprisonment of our 13 aviators, was laid down this week by Secretary of State Dulles. A naval and air blockade of the Chinese coast, as urged by Senator Knowland, is included in "war action," and the California Senator's proposal is therefore rejected in particular as it had previously been rejected in principle by President Eisenhower himself. The release of our aviators from their present imprisonment on the trumped-up charge of espionage will be sought by diplomatic means, this time with the considerable help of Great Britain whose Prime Minister had instantly denounced Red China's treatment of military personnel as outrageous.

It is a reasonable surmise that this piece of bullying effrontery by Peiping (within recognizably safe limits, as usual) is a part of the general Red program. It involves soft words in Europe and at the same time vicious action in the Far East, amelioration here and aggression there, as is the Moscow pattern. In Communist thinking, human beings are pawns, and it is apparent that our 13 will be used as such in the Red Chiefs' cold planning of further moves, presumably in their endless seeking of United Nations membership.

Our memories are long enough to recall the comparable case in Europe where an American civilian was held in prison until the United States made concessions with regard to the reopening of Red consulates in this country. The strong American protests in that case had accomplished nothing; it remains to be seen whether present protests and demands for redress will succeed in freeing our 13, or whether their release will come about by bargaining of a comparable nature. Emotions are less effective than realistic appraisals.

OUR NOTE OF 29 NOVEMBER, to Russia, therefore provides a measure of grim satisfaction. This is in leisurely reply to a Russian note of last August (presumably there is some advantage in this case in taking our time, as Moscow habitually does). The Russians complained because American planes had kept a watchful eye on several Soviet merchantmen passing in the general neighborhood of Formosa, and demanded a cessation of the practice. The American Government's reply was as courteous as it was firm, and as timely, all considered, as it was clear.

It informed Moscow that the Seventh Fleet had been instructed in 1950 to provide protection for Formosa, and that the instructions had been clarified in 1953 and remain in effect, continuing: "The United States reaffirms its intention to devote its effort to the maintenance of peace and stability in that area, and hopes that the Soviet Government will direct its own efforts and influence to the same end."

THE KEY WORDS, some may think, are "in that area," for the word "area" might be thought of as including the more distant approaches to Formosa and specifically such spots as Quemoy, Matsu, Tachen, and other coastal islands of Red China. Peiping has a great itching for those islands and in the past three months has made a series of attacks, partly for training and partly for reconnaissance, and very largely for the purpose of finding out what the U. S. Seventh Fleet or our air elements will do to render assistance, in case of a truly major assault, to the Nationalist garrisons on those islands.

The Red attacks have been by artillery based on nearby islands, by air, by torpedo-boats directing their attention to an ill-fated ex-American destroyer which had been given to Formosa, and by what the somewhat excited local garrison declared to be an amphibious force. That suggests the variety of assault in which the Reds are training, and if the assault forces were

sufficiently perceptive it is apparent they must have learned something about the Nationalist garrisons' dispositions and resources. But the most perceptive of Reds can have learned nothing about American intentions, and the 29 November note does nothing more to satisfy either Red China or Big Brother in Moscow.

### MOSCOW'S FAKE TREATY TALK

which also got under way on 29 Nov., proceeded as expected, with an audience composed wholly of representatives from Red satellites and Red prisoner-states. Our own leisurely reply to the Moscow invitation was identical with that of Britain and France as previously published. It is brusque, observing that Moscow's obvious purpose is to prevent ratification of October's Nine-Power compact for making West Germany an armed partner of the free states in the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, and adding that there is no prospect of a useful conference until Russia relaxes her grip on helpless Austria.

Other points in the West's note recognize that truly free elections in East Germany are the essential first step toward German unification, and state that other proposals must at least be explored by diplomatic agencies before there can be any profit in a ministerial conference of the Big Four.

### CHANCELLOR ADENAUER emerged

from the Hesse-Bavaria elections of the last week-end with a personal victory and a party defeat. That is, his party lost strength, but allied parties gained and the main opposing party lost (the Communists elected nobody). Hence the Chancellor's coalition in the Bonn Parliament is appreciably stronger than it was, and there is improved likelihood that the coming vote will provide ratification for the Nine-Power pact, despite the disturbing matter of the Saar. Those German chickens, like M. Mendes-France's, continue to be counted, but the signers of the Nine-Power pact will be greatly relieved to have the eggs hatched, and hatched in accordance with our present hopeful counting.

### VIETNAM AFFAIRS

have taken a turn which optimists regard as favorable to the American policy that General J. Lawton Collins was lately sent there to expound. That is, General Collins made it clear that the conflict between Premier Ngo Dinh Diem and his Chief of Staff, General Nguyen Van Hinh, would have to end, and that American aid is conditioned on recognizing the authority of the premier, whoever he may be. This meant that General Hinh (who had complained that the premier lacks determination) would have to comply with the "invitation" of Bao Dai, who administers Viet Nam affairs by remote control, and visit that dignitary in the French Riviera. Hinh did so, and was promptly fired.

For better or worse, that is one way of getting unity. The French are glad to see Bao Dai's somewhat vaporous authority regarded as solid, and the American insistence on eliminating conflict between the premier and the head of the army is satisfied. Chiefly, the way is cleared of an obstacle to the flow of American aid. The important question now is whether the incipient Viet Nam Army, which once manifested support for its Chief of Staff rather than the Premier, now will render that support which the Premier must have, and on which the American policy must be able to count.

The gravity of General Collins' task is not measured by this issue alone; the greater concern is over the existence of any true solidarity among the three old Indo-Chinese states, any reliable capacity for self-government, and any true passion for freedom. General Collins' own determination is well known, but it is an exacting diplomatic mission which was suddenly given to that veteran soldier.

## MEMO For Journal Readers

THE ARMY'S NIKE antiaircraft guided missile, whose effectiveness had been questioned by Air Force Sec'y Talbott in a speech to the National Press Club last week, got a pat on its supersonic back this week from SecDef Wilson. Commenting on a recent trip to the White Sands Proving Ground, N. M., where he saw Service missiles in action, Mr. Wilson said of NIKE: "It looked like quite a weapon to me. I am sure it is."

THE ARGUMENT HAS BEEN MADE that NIKE has been fired only against propeller-driven aircraft in the 200-300 MPH class. It's no secret the Air Force thinks that it might be a different story against jets. Asked about this, Mr. Wilson observed: "In all fairness to the Army and Sec'y Talbott of the Air Force, the Air Force missiles are tried out on the same kind of drones that the Army missiles are tried out on."

IN ANOTHER WEAPONS DEVELOPMENT at the news conference, Mr. Wilson was asked, in reference to Field Marshal Montgomery's remark that too much money is spent for carriers, whether the Navy will get another Forrestal-class carrier (it would be the fifth). "I suppose it's a pretty good bet," he said.

THE FIELD MARSHAL'S REMARK on the carriers may be employed on Capitol Hill next year by Air Force advocates. It would not be surprising if some legislators propose elimination of the carrier—cost about \$175 million—and transfer of comparable funds to the Air Force. That would lead to a knock-down fight.

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THE UNKIND REMARKS of the Field Marshal concerning carriers came coincidental with his loss of \$10 in a wager with New York Times cameraman George Tames on the Army-Navy football game. Mr. Tames had lost a prior-year bet with the Viscount, but got even this year.

SECDEF WILSON'S ANXIETY to prevent inter-Service squabbles in connection with the budget resulted in the deletion from Mr. Talbott's speech of specific references to NIKE by name. This issue wasn't resolved until just a few hours before the Air Force chief spoke.

EXPANSION OF AIR DEFENSE activities in Canada, involving U. S. forces, will create delicate problems, inevitable when forces of one nation are stationed on the soil of another. SecDef Wilson says U. S. strength in Canada will be in the hundreds.

ONE INTERESTING PROBLEM for U. S. Servicemen on duty in Canada is a monetary one. Their pay won't be worth as much as elsewhere in the world. The Canadian dollar is valued higher than the U. S. dollar.

A MARINE CORPS DIVISION REORGANIZATION study, testing practicality of a return to the "square" division, is being evaluated at Headquarters. Though the project was launched almost two years ago, all results are reported to be "classified." There's some speculation the Marine Corps, taking cognizance of all the attention being given to forthcoming Army "Atomic Age" division maneuvers, may make public additional information concerning its reorganization study.

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PX GAS STATIONS will come under new attack in the 84th Congress. The Services can count on a fight from retail groups, led by the oil jobbers. That may be one reason way AF Sec'y Talbott and other Defense officials are stressing the importance of PX activities in current speeches. Average saving to military personnel on gas purchases is about 3 cents per gallon.

THE SERVICES ARE HOPEFUL that Mr. Talbott, Army Sec'y Stevens and other Defense officials will continue to emphasize the PX role in maintaining morale. It's likely that while defending present sales items, Pentagon leaders will also take the offensive and ask for expansion of the authorized sales list.

THE PX ATTITUDE SURVEY (Page 1) undoubtedly will give powerful ammunition to the sales expansion campaign. It's believed the inquiry will show a heavy demand for PX sales of automobile accessories, such as tires and batteries, and for availability of children's clothing. Although Mr. Talbott has not been specific on the matter as yet, there's some belief he is thinking in terms of advocating restoration of "special order" privileges at PX's when he calls for improved PX benefits # # # # #.

THE DENTIST SHORTAGE in the Navy is being aggravated by an acute shortage of enlisted dental technicians. About 19 out of every 20 specially trained technicians are leaving the Navy at the expiration of their enlistment.

A HOME LOAN AMENDMENT will be sought by the Defense Department next year. It's believed the FHA will go along with the request to expand the present 4% home loan bill to permit refinancing of loans made before its implementation. Thousands could be affected.

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SERVICE ENLISTED MEN are waiting to find out if Asst. SecDef Burgess goes along with his predecessor's view that with contracting military strength, the percentage of EM in top grades should go up, particularly in view of the complex weapons now in use. Former Asst. SecDef Hannah made quite a point of that matter.

IF THE PENTAGON AND BUDGET BUREAU should put the squeeze on EM advancements, the Armed Services and Appropriations Committees may squawk. They were upset several years ago when it was asserted that EM promotions were being held down because of Congressional action on the budget. Committee leaders made Pentagon authorities concede that all money asked for EM promotions was voted.

DISCRIMINATION AGAINST USPHS officers has been brought to light during Congressional hearings on Survivor Benefits. It's disclosed that Public Health Service officers, though associated for pay purposes with all the other Uniformed Services, are not eligible to receive (since 1952) the six months' death gratuity. Remedial legislation probably will be asked next year.

A GALAXY OF STARS has fallen on Admiral John Gingrich. When he retired recently, the former Chief of Naval Material was serving as a three-star officer with permanent two-star rank. He was advanced to four-star rank on the retired list because he held a combat decoration. Now, the four-star officer has been nominated by President Eisenhower for permanent promotion to vice admiral, retired.

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Armd Cav Regt, Ft Meade, Md.  
Ebeling, Maj John A, Ft Riley, Kans, to Hq  
ASA 8600th DU, Wash, DC.  
Littleton, Maj Augustine B, Cincinnati, Ohio,  
to Army Sec JUSMAG Thailand 8653d DU,  
Bangkok, Thailand.  
Cassedy, Maj William P, Wash, DC, to Army  
Sec MAAG, Formosa 8678th DU, Taipei,  
Formosa.  
Lewis, Maj Harold J, Wash, DC, to USAR-  
AL.  
Friedman, Capt Egon E, Ft Hood, Tex, to  
3444th SU, Hq and Hq Btry, Cp Stewart,  
Ga.  
Henderson, 1st Lt David F, Ft Hood, Tex, to  
Stu Det Army Intel Cen, 8579th DU, Ft  
Holabird, Md.  
Goodwin, 2d Lt Weir R, III, Cp Kilmer, NJ,  
to 6th Armd Div, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.  
Gerich, 2d Lt Robert A, Las Cruces, N Mex,  
to 8th Inf Div, Ft Carson, Colo.

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From station indicated:  
Lewis, Lt Col Louria F, Ft Riley, Kans.  
Ball, Lt Col Theodore M, Ft Slocum, NY.  
From Ft Knox, Ky:  
Nunziata, 2d Lt S W Darwin, 2d Lt Edw O  
Powell, 2d Lt Walter Markwell, 2d Lt W T  
W, 2d Mattison, 2d Lt Jas B  
Richmond, 2d Lt H J Maxwell, 2d Lt H D,  
Rogers, 2d Lt Larry L, Jr  
Runney, 2d Lt R E McMann, 2d Lt V J  
Schrimsner, 2d Lt Metts, 2d Lt Hugo A  
Max L Mook, 2d Lt D G  
Shaw, 2d Lt Chas P Musselman, 2d Lt  
Smith, 2d Lt Jack P Alan M  
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Sullivan, 2d Lt T P Newton, 2d Lt Edw M  
Sutton, 2d Lt Geo R Nienhuis, 2d Lt Victor  
Tiefel, 2d Lt Thos W Genier, 2d Lt John L  
Vogel, 2d Lt Phillip O George, 2d Lt Wm H

Westwater, 2d Lt D L Green, 2d Lt Glenn H  
Barry, 2d Lt F P Green, 2d Lt L O  
Benson, 2d Lt Jno W Halloran, 2d Lt F J  
Buckley, 2d Lt B G Hallseth, 2d Lt A W  
Carey, 2d Lt Robt H Haltiner, 2d Lt R G  
Chapin, 2d Lt G R Johnson, 2d Lt R S  
Concelson, 2d Lt E E Keesley, 2d Lt Mehlio  
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Det USA Elm SHAPE 8651st DU, Paris,  
France.  
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Det Army Lang Sch, Monterey, Calif.  
Thelsen, Lt Col George L, Ft Bragg, NC, to  
77th AAA Bn, Ft MacArthur, Calif.  
Franson, Lt Col Paul O, Ft McPherson, Ga,  
to OCPYWAR, 8544th DU, Wash, DC.  
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Mahan, Capt John C Jr, Ft Baker, Calif, to 82d AAA Bn, Castle AFB, Calif.  
Owens, Capt William H, Cp Stewart, Ga, to 8054th SU AA and GM Br the Arty Sch, Ft Bliss, Tex.  
Knight, 2d Lt Robert A, Ft Riley, Kans, to 8th Inf Div, Ft Carson, Colo.  
Williams, 2d Lt Patrick M, Ft Lee, Va, to 4052d SU AAA RTC, Ft Bliss, Tex.  
Collins, 2d Lt John T Jr, Ft Sill, Okla, to Army Elm Iceland Def Force, Dept of the Navy, 8696th DU, Keflavik, Iceland.

### To Hq 3461st SU, Cp Rucker, Ala

From station indicated:  
Wallace, 2d Lt Marsh Jr, Ft Knox, Ky.  
Wallace, 2d Lt Thomas G, Ft Benning, Ga.  
McCabe, 2d Lt Donald C, Ft Sill, Okla.  
Adams, 2d Lt Lloyd K, Ft Sill, Okla.  
From Ft Bliss, Tex:  
Morgan, 2d Lt A B Jordan, 2d Lt I S, 3d Kennedy, 2d Lt J C

### From Ft Bliss, Tex

To station indicated:  
Hindman, Maj Thomas O, 516th AAA Msl Bn, Detroit, Mich.  
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Hook, 1st Lt Louis A, 62d AAA Bn, USAREUR.  
Putman, 2d Lt Robert H, 7th AAA Bn, USAREUR.  
Stanton, 2d Lt Martin P, 91st AAA Bn, USAREUR.  
White, 1st Lt Richard L, 91st AAA Bn, USAREUR.  
Bell, 2d Lt William J, 7th AAA Bn, USAREUR.  
Isely, 2d Lt Charles C 3d, 62d AAA Bn, USAREUR.

### From Norfolk, Va

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Hughes, Lt Col John S, OSD 8475th DU, Wash, DC.  
Collins, Lt Col James L Jr, ODEP LOG 8535th DU, Wash, DC.  
Swenson, Lt Col J Elmore, 8th Inf Div, Ft Carson, Colo.  
Taber, Lt Col Robert C, 82d Abn Div, Ft Bragg, NC.  
Thomson, Lt Col Harry K, 8751st DU, 2430 E St NW, Wash, DC.  
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Brewer, Lt Col Robert M, OAC of S G2 8533d DU, Wash, DC.  
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Millican, Lt Col Raymond W, 5025th SU CG-SC, Ft Leavenworth, Kans.  
Phillips, Lt Col Paul D, OSD 8475th DU, Wash, DC.  
Sigley, Lt Col Woodrow B, OCAFF 8575th DU, Ft Monroe, Va.

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Maples, Lt Col Herron N, Norfolk, Va.  
Standal, Maj Hjalmar L, Carswell AFB, Tex.  
Ehrig, Capt Walter L, Ft Riley, Kans.  
Eiland, Capt Livy E Jr, Ft Bliss, Tex.  
Pilon, Capt John P, Ft Bragg, NC.

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Hamilton, 2d Lt William P, Ft Bliss, Tex.  
Hartwell, 2d Lt Arthur V, Ft Sill, Okla.  
Clair, 2d Lt Melvin W, Ft Sill, Okla.  
Herreid, 2d Lt Peder H, Ft Bliss, Tex.  
Jones, 2d Lt Morgan L, Ft Sill, Okla.  
Jones, 2d Lt Robert A, Ft Sill, Okla.

### CORPS OF ENGINEERS—

Maj Gen Samuel D Sturgis, C of E  
Lane, Col Thomas A, Ft Monroe, Va, to Office of the Engr Commissioner, DC, 8760th DU, Wash, DC.  
Trainer, Lt Col Wyatt G, Ft Worth, Tex, to Army Sec MAAG, Indochina 8653d DU, Saigon, Indochina.  
Kroehl, Maj George F, Ft Baker, Calif, to US Mil Msn with the Imperial Iranian Gendarmerie, 8664th DU, Teheran, Iran.  
Brooks, Capt Frank R Jr, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo, to Hq and Hq Det Army Members MAAG Iran, 8673d DU, Teheran, Iran.  
Lord, Capt M D, Ft Riley, Kans, to 30th Engr Gp, Ft Winfield Scott, Calif.  
Wells, 1st Lt Ora L, Oakland, Calif, to 240th Engr Cons Bn, Ft Knox, Ky.  
Miller, 2d Lt Paul R, Ft Knox, Ky, to Hq USAF.  
Corets, 2d Lt Myron L, Ft Knox, Ky, to 484th Engr Cons, Ft Knox, Ky.

### From Ft Belvoir, Va

To station indicated:  
Kramer, 2d Lt John K, 201st Engr Cmbt Bn, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.  
Sanders, 2d Lt Julian M, 347th Engr Avn Bn Ernest Harmon AFB, Stephenville, New-

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Kelly, 2d Lt Robert W Jr, Hq 3461st SU, Cp Rucker, Ala.

### From Norfolk, Va

To station indicated:  
Skillman, Lt Col Charles S, The Engr Cen, Ft Belvoir, Va.  
D'Arezzo, Lt Col Alfred J, ODEP LOG 8535th DU, Wash, DC.  
Duke, Lt Col Chambers M, 9803d TU Det No 2 Eastern Ocean Dist, New York, NY.  
Fuller, Lt Col Cecil H, ODEP LOG 8535th DU, Wash, DC.

### To USAFFE

From station indicated:  
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Cookson, Lt Col George M, Norfolk, Va.  
Moody, Capt Richard L, Wash, DC.  
Newcomer, Capt Lloyd H Jr, 8575th DU, Ft Monroe, Va.

### To USAREUR

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Patsis, 2d Lt Nicholas M, Ft Dix, NJ.  
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Taylor, 2d Lt Ralph H Jr, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.  
Jackson, 2d Lt Lowell B, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.  
Reinhart, 2d Lt William P, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.  
Roles, 2d Lt Jack C, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.  
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Hanna, 2d Lt Lawrence P, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.  
Kant, 2d Lt Kenneth J, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.  
Carraher, 2d Lt Jerry E, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.  
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Sherman, 2d Lt Roger W, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.  
Smith, 2d Lt Llew R, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.  
Briscoe, 2d Lt Andy D, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.  
Kiltzkie, 2d Lt Alan G, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.  
Motley, 2d Lt Patrick F, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.

### To 7th Engr Avn Brig, USAFE

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Pickrell, Maj Boyd H, San Francisco.  
Page, Capt Willis M, Flagstaff, Ariz.  
Ackerman, 2d Lt Karl, Ft Dix, NJ.  
Swann, 2d Lt Frank N, Ft Lewis, Wash.  
Johnson, 2d Lt Ralph D Jr, Ft Bragg, NC.  
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Pollitt, 2d Lt D B Shoemaker, Capt W G Zarge, 2d Lt Horbert

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From station indicated:  
Garrison, 2d Lt Lowell E, Ft Ord, Calif.  
McCarthy, 2d Lt John R, Ft Lewis, Wash.

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Maj Gen George I Back, CSO  
Burke, Lt Col James L, Norfolk, Va, to USA Elm SHAPE 8651st DU, Paris, France.  
Gray, Lt Col Gordon D, Norfolk, Va, to 9427th TU, Alaska Comm System, Seattle, Wash.  
McGovern, Lt Col John P, Norfolk, Va, to 9400th TU Sig C Cen, Ft Monmouth, NJ.  
Margolies, Lt Col Harry, Norfolk, Va, to Stu Det USA Elm SHAPE 8651st DU, Paris, France.  
Hall, Maj Phipps W, Governors Is, NY, to OC Sig O, Wash, DC.  
Waller, Maj Marshall, Cp Rucker, Ala, to 9577th TU White Sands Sig C Agcy, White Sands Pr Gr, Las Cruces, N Mex.  
Glouner, Capt John R Jr, Colorado Springs, Colo, to 9470th TU Army Elct Pr Gr, Ft Huachuca, Ariz.  
James, Capt William H, Las Cruces, N Mex, to 4000th SU Hq Fourth Army, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.  
Spector, Capt Sam, Newark, NJ, to 9425th TU Sig C, Plant Engr Agcy, Wash, DC.  
Struthers, Capt James C, Ft Ritchie, Md, to Hq and Hq Det Army Members MAAG Iran 8673d DU, Teheran, Iran.  
Markley, Capt Robert J, Petaluma, Calif, to Co A the ASA Stu Bn, 8622d DU, Ft Devens, Mass.  
Johnson, Capt Charles W, Philadelphia, Pa, to National Setcy Agency Proc Office, Wash, DC.  
Fee, 1st Lt Joseph C, Monterey, Calif, to USAREUR.  
Stone, 1st Lt John D Jr, Wash, DC, to Ft Geo G Meade, Md.  
Allen, 1st Lt Paul B, Oakland, Calif, to 990th Sig Co, Cp Gordon, Ga.  
Burnes, 1st Lt John P Jr, Wash, DC, to Ft Geo G Meade, Md.  
Garrett, 1st Lt Walter M J, Wash, DC, to Ft Geo G Meade, Md.  
Morris, 2d Lt Carl J, Ft Hood, Tex, to USA

Elm SHAPE 8651st DU, Paris, France.  
Salzhauer, 2d Lt Charles, 16th Sig Co, Ft Huachuca, Ariz.

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Maj Gen John A Klein, TAG  
Heard, Col William R, Wash, DC, to TAG Sch, Ft Benj Harrison, Ind.  
Newman, Col Harold H, St Louis, Mo, to USA Europe.  
Shaw, Lt Col William R, Ft Benj Harrison, Ind, to 2053d SU Pers Cen, Ft Meade, Md.  
Smith, Lt Col Oswald C, Oakland, Calif, to Hq First Army, Governors Is, NY.  
Hess, Lt Col Bule, Wash, DC, to Hq Third Army, Ft McPherson, Ga.

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Bisant, Col Oscar M Jr, Chicago, to Hq X Corps, Ft Riley, Kans.  
Lough, Lt Col Frederick C, Wash, DC, to 9829th TU, Ft Belvoir, Va.  
Solf, Lt Col Waldemar A, Norfolk, Va, to Hq 3d Armd Div, Ft Knox, Ky.  
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Maj Gen Kester L Hastings, QMG  
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Anglin, Lt Col William E, Atlanta, Ga, to 1st Armd Div, Ft Hood, Tex.  
Jackson, Maj Robert L Jr, Chicago, to 3d Inf Div, Ft Benning, Ga.  
Klingelhoefer, 1st Lt John W, Jeffersonville, Ind, to 320th FA Bn, Ft Campbell, Ky.

### To 9150th TU, Columbus Gen Depot, USA Columbus, Ohio

From Ft Lee, Va:  
Hill, 2d Lt Lary S Hock, 2d Lt Robt C  
To 47th Inf Div, Ft Benning, Ga  
From Ft Benning, Ga:  
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Hottenstein, 2d Lt Bell, 2d Lt Franklin J  
David, jr Foreman, 2d Lt J J  
Thomas, 2d Lt F F, jr Janacka, 2d Lt Jos C  
Randolph, 2d Lt J W Clark, 2d Lt MacD, jr  
Sachs, 2d Lt M B, jr Lind, 2d Lt Chas R  
Schlafman, 2d Lt H E Wagstaff, 2d Lt K R  
Smitley, 2d Lt D W McKee, 2d Lt R W

### From Ft Lee, Va

To station indicated:  
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Behrens, 2d Lt Frederick L, 11th Abn Div, Ft Campbell, Ky.  
Lutz, 1st Lt Bradley T, 710th Tk Bn, Cp Stewart, Ga.  
Bernal, 2d Lt James M, 2128th-4 SU Food Svc Sch, Ft Knox, Ky.

### To 1275th SU Sta Com, Ft Hamilton, NY

From Ft Lee, Va:  
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To 369th QM Bn, Ft Bragg, NC

From Ft Lee, Va:  
Bulice, 2d Lt B C, jr Kettler, 2d Lt Chas J  
To 9192d TU Auburn Gen Depot, USA, Auburn, Wash

From Ft Lee, Va:  
Empey, 2d Lt A D Holt, 2d Lt Thos F  
To 4005th SU Sta Com, Ft Hood, Tex

From Ft Lee, Va:  
Franke, 2d Lt L K Metzler, 2d Lt John E

### To USAFFE

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Flanagan, Capt Harry A, Ft Benj Harrison, Ind.  
Magota, 2d Lt Shogo, Ft Lee, Va.

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Young, Maj Edwin L, Ft Hood, Tex.  
George, Lt Col Athol W, Chicago, Ill.  
Keeshen, 2d Lt Walt J, Herlong, Calif.  
McInny, Capt Frank J, Ft Carson, Colo.  
Clay, 2d Lt Edward S, Ft Holabird, Md.  
Bader, 2d Lt Eddie W, Ft Hood, Tex.  
Moore, Maj Lee, Ft Hood, Tex.  
Koons, 2d Lt Betty L, Ft Campbell, Ky.

### FINANCE CORPS—

Maj Gen Bickford Sawyer, C of F  
Jones, Col James M, jr, San Francisco, Calif, to Kansas City Regional Office Army Audit Agcy, Kansas City, Mo.  
Burton, Lt Col Lloyd, Wash, DC, to Fin Cen USA 9002d DU, Ft Benjamin Harrison, Ind.  
Lane, Lt Col Danna L, Norfolk, Va, to Hq Fourth Army, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.  
Maugham, Maj William, jr, Wash, DC, to Army Sec JUSMAG Thailand 8653d DU, Bangkok, Thailand.  
Dolzisk, Capt Andrew, Phoenixville, Pa.

2262d SU Valley Forge AH, Phoenixville, Pa.  
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### MEDICAL SERVICES—

Maj Gen George E Armstrong, 8G Medical Corps

Lepper, Lt Col Norman, Ft Carson, Colo, to Murphy AH, Waltham, Mass.  
Stenberg, Maj Edwin S, Wash, DC, to USARPAC.  
Robinson, Capt William W, Ft Sill, Okla, to 1st Armd Div, Ft Hood, Tex.  
Johns, Capt Varner J, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, to OTSG, Wash, DC.  
Long, 1st Lt George M, Ft Campbell, Ky, to Hq Fifth Army, Chicago, Ill.  
Barrison, 1st Lt William J, jr, Ft Bragg, NC, to 47th Inf Div, Ft Benning, Ga.  
Baker, 1st Lt Floyd W, Chicago, to Stu Det Fld Svc Sch, Brooke AMC, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.  
Ennmett, 1st Lt John W, Ft Devens, Mass, to 1st Armd Div, Ft Hood, Tex.  
Holub, 1st Lt Donald A, Ft Devens, Mass, to 3440th SU AH, Ft Benning, Ga.

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### Dental Corps—

Maj Gen Oscar P Snyder, Chief  
Weissman, Lt Col Joseph I, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo, to 1262d SU, Ft Dix, NJ.  
Shepherd, Capt Sidney Martin, St Louis, Mo, to USARAL.

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Col Robert L Black, Chief  
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George, Maj James W, Ft Myer, Va, to 1242d SU NY A Res ADGRU, New York, NY.  
Williams, Capt Lewis H, Brooklyn, NY, to 9916th TU Med Sec, Schenectady Gen Depot, Schenectady, NY.  
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Baggett, 2d Lt Robert T, jr, 3441st SU AH, Camp Gordon, Ga.  
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Warley, 2d Lt James jr, 508th Abn RCT, Ft Campbell, Ky.  
Stafford, Capt Raymond R, 1128th SU Maine A Res Advisor Gp, Ft William, Maine.  
Edmond, 1st Lt Charles W, Hq 3461st SU, Cp Rucker, Ala.

### Army Nurse Corps—

Col Ruby F Bryant, Chief  
Jacobson, Maj Lucy E, Wash, DC, to 7071st SU AH, Ft Belvoir, Va.  
Turner, Maj Mildred, Ft McPherson, Ga, to 7004th SU USA, Disp, Wash, DC.  
Anthony, Capt Ruth E, Ft Hood, Tex, to 4002d SU AH, Cp Chaffee, Ark.  
Silverthorne, Capt Easle M, Ft Ord, Calif, to Walter Reed AMC, Wash, DC.  
Burggraf, 1st Lt Katharine L, Phoenixville, Pa, to Hq USFA.  
Roberts, 1st Lt Lucille M, Wash, DC, to Hq USFA.  
Werner, 1st Lt Elizabeth R, Tacoma, Wash, to USARPAC.  
Loftin, 2d Lt Lorene F, Ft McClellan, Ala, to USARPAC.

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Dickie, Capt June M, Ft Sill, Okla.  
Dietz, Capt Elizabeth L, Ft Carson, Colo.  
Gross, Capt Helen R, Washington, DC.  
Hurtado, Capt Dolores, Cp Stewart, Md.  
Piergallini, Capt Anne R, Ft Meade, Md.  
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Desotell, 1st Lt Ruth L, Denver, Colo.  
Fry, 1st Lt Doris J, Tacoma, Wash.  
Kidd, 1st Lt Mary E, Denver, Colo.  
Kulvin, 1st Lt Ruth L, Denver, Colo.  
Baker, 2d Lt Evaline R, Ft Ord, Calif.  
Bird, 2d Lt Myrtlene, Ft Benning, Ga.  
Murray, 2d Lt Alice E, Cp Gordon, Ga.  
Quigley, 2d Lt Elizabeth J, Wash, DC.  
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Mills, Capt Emma F, Ft Bragg, NC.  
Raimone, Capt Lucy T, Ft Bliss, Tex.  
Fribberg, 1st Lt Mary L, Cp Gordon, Ga.  
Schuler, 2d Lt Lena M, Ft Hood, Tex.  
Conant, 2d Lt Mary A, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.  
Wood, 2d Lt Thelma G, Ft Hood, Tex.  
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Sederowicz, 1st Lt Helen J, Denver, Colo.  
Raven, 2d Lt Teresa C, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.

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Maj Gen E L Cummings, C of Ord C  
Kaiser, Lt Col William F, Norfolk, Va, to 9372d TU Savanna Ord Depot, Savanna, Ill.  
Smith, Maj Charles R, Center Line, Mich, to MAAG France, Paris, France.  
Gallman, Capt Alvin, Oakland, Calif, to 9393d TU White Sands PG, Las Cruces, NMex.  
Smoyer, Capt Louis I, South Bend, Ind, to 9316th TU Chicago Ord Dist, Chicago, Ill.  
Mangold, 2d Lt Bernard J, Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md, to 82d Abn Div, Ft Bragg, NC.

### To USAFFE

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Anderson, 2d Lt Robert C

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Sneath, Capt Veryl L, Ft Benning, Ga.  
Stoffel, Capt Joseph F, Ft Wayne, Mich.  
Tarr, Capt William M, Joliet, Ill.  
Watkins, Capt John R, Ft Hood, Tex.  
Leacock, Capt Charles E, Ft Bragg, NC.  
Ingwersen, 2d Lt Charles H, Ft Carson, Colo.  
Mitchell, 2d Lt Clarke E, Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md.  
Burdumy, Capt William T, Detroit, Mich.  
Seoran, 2d Lt Eugene M, Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md.  
Brown, Capt Benjamin C, Dover, NJ.  
Higgins, Capt David, Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md.  
Hamlin, 1st Lt Robert L, Ft Lewis, Wash.  
Wallace, 1st Lt George W, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.  
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Hart, 1st Lt Clifford C  
Comisky, 1st Lt Benedict J, Jr.

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Xander, Maj Walter G, Ft McClellan, Ala, to Hq X Corps, Ft Riley, Kans.  
Mullett, 1st Lt Edwin Jr, Dugway, Utah, to 8th Inf Div, Ft Carson, Colo.

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From Ft Eustis, Va:  
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Manry, Maj John C, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, to USARPAC.  
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Vogel, Capt Ruth, Ft Myer, Va, to Hq Fifth Army, Chicago.

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White, Charles R, Wash, DC, to 7750th US EUCOM Gp, Paris, France.  
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Crank, Charles F, Ft Meade, Md, to 9584th TU Sig C Engr Lab Fld Sta No 4, Ft Meade, Md.  
Woodward, Herbert E, Governors Is, NY, to 3461st SU AH, Cp Rucker, Ala.  
Kackauckas, Joseph P, Ft Dix, NJ, to 950th Engr Avn Gp, Pepperell AFB, Newfound-land.

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Aaron, George V, Cp Chaffee, Ark.  
Ziegler, Bernard L, Ft Meade, Md.  
Higdon, Ralph T, Ft Eustis, Va.

Lewis, Joseph V, Ft Benjamin Harrison, Ind.  
Marrone, Felix E, New York, NY.  
Milner, Donald S, Ft Hood, Tex.  
Ray, William E, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.  
Adcock, O T, Ft Sill, Okla.  
Clary, James O, Chicago, Ill.  
Hess, Milton C, Ft Lewis, Wash.  
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Brown, Clyde E, Broughton, Pa.  
Woodward, William S, Ft Sill, Okla.  
Connolly, Francis J, Ft Belvoir, Va.  
Guthridge, John R, Lexington, Ky.  
Korcheck, Louis, Ft Lee, Va.  
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Dent, Perry E, Joliet, Ill.  
Johnson, James E, Ft McClellan, Ala.  
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Kutcher, Thomas G, Grand Island, NY.  
Manning, Vaughn E, Ft Sill, Okla.  
Scott, Stonewall J, Chicago, Ill.  
Scully, Harold R, Cp Drum, NY.  
Deal, Robert S, Ft Eustis, Va.  
Stovall, Andrew J, Cp Stewart, Ga.  
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Creith, William L, Monterey, Calif, to Stu Det Strat Intel Sch, 8533d DU, Wash, DC.  
Ihling, Charles E, Ft Dix, NJ, to 7th Engr Avn Brig, USAFE.  
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Blevins, William F, Ft Knox, Ky.  
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Johnson, Martin L, Washington, DC.  
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Ehrhardt, Martin W, Seattle, Wash.

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Scott, Lt Col Ovid E, pd (100%); Removed from temp disab ret list.  
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Cutter, Col Ernest F, QMC; Rel fr Oakland, Calif.  
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Blair, Lt Col Melvin R, Inf; Rel fr Ft Benning, Ga.  
Collins, Lt Col Raymond L, AGC, ret in gr of Col; Rel fr Oakland, Calif.  
Reed, Maj Carl E, Sig C, ret in gr of Lt Col; Rel fr Cp Gordon, Ga.  
Denninger, Maj Joseph H, CE, ret in gr of Lt Col; Rel fr Summerville, NJ.  
Alvarez, Maj Luis A; Rel fr New Cumberland, Pa.  
Weltzel, Maj Theodore R, MPC; Rel fr Vancouver Bks, Wash.  
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Lepera, Maj Dominick F, FC; Rel fr Ft Hamilton, NY.  
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Hodges, Capt George H, TC; Rel fr Ft Jackson, SC.  
Whitmore, Capt Wayne E, Sig C; ret in gr of Maj; Rel fr Ft Hamilton, NY.  
Williams, Capt Frederick H, Sig C; ret in gr of Maj; Rel fr Ft Hamilton, NY.  
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Malone, CWO Victor A; Rel fr Oakland, Calif.  
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Temple, CWO Russel E; Rel fr Ft Hood, Tex.  
Crosby, CWO Bradford D; Rel fr Ft Sheridan, Ill.  
Divido, CWO Dominick A; Rel fr Cp Carson, Colo.  
Thomas, CWO John W; Rel fr Ft Monroe, Va.  
Rander, CWO Joseph G; Rel fr Ft Hood, Tex.  
Swann, CWO Erwin L; Rel fr AFEE.  
Etingoff, CWO William; Rel fr Ft Bliss, Tex.  
Semuta, CWO Michael; Rel fr Ft Meade, Md.  
Cyr, CWO Hubert G; Rel fr Cp Kilmer, NJ.  
Dufresne, CWO Alfred A; Rel fr Army Cml Cen, Md.  
Adams, CWO Joseph C; Rel fr Ellsworth AFB, S Dak.  
Coles, CWO Luther B; Rel fr Petaluma, Cal.  
Woods, CWO William M; Rel fr Ft Hamilton, NY.  
Stafford, CWO Hezzle W; Rel fr Ft Monroe, Va.  
Duhon, CWO Simon J; Rel fr Ft Hamilton, NY.  
Fuqua, CWO Ealey T; Rel fr Ft Hamilton, NY.  
McBryde, CWO Joe A; Rel fr Cp Stewart, Ga.

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Lamberson, CWO Raymond E; Rel fr Ft Hamilton, NY.  
Schwaiger, CWO Ludwig A; Rel fr Presidio of San Francisco.  
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Michaels, CWO Jacob A; Rel fr Phoenixville, Pa.  
Semer, CWO James; Rel fr Ft Sam Houston, Tex.  
Renak, CWO Edward T; Rel fr Ft Totten, NY.  
Henderson, CWO Martin J; Rel fr Oakland Army Base, Calif.  
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Cox, CWO Hugh D; Rel fr Ft Jackson, SC.  
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Simmons, Capt Edward E, TC.

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Nelson, Maj Loren E, MC.  
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Kolodny, Capt Stanley C, DC.  
Harsh, Capt Richard S, TC.  
Roberts, Capt Libern B, Arty.  
Trommer, Capt Charles C, DC.  
Thompson, 1st Lt Roger K Jr, CE.  
Jones, 1st Lt Richard S, CE.  
Kelley, CWO Hubert V P.

#### PROMOTED IN RA—

##### To Lt Colonel

With date of rank as indicated:  
W/DR fr 22 Nov 54  
Carter, S K, QMC Person, Frank D, TC  
DuBols, Edgar, Sig C Jackson, Norton, TC

##### To 1st Lieutenant

With date of rank as indicated:  
Albrecht, Jack R, Arty, 20 Nov 54.  
McGlone, John E, Arty, 20 Nov 54.  
Mason, James R, Inf, 21 Nov 54.  
Allen, William MacD, TC, 22 Nov 54.

##### To Chief Warrant Officer

With date of rank as indicated:  
Van Natta, Miles C, 1 Dec 50.

#### TEMPORARY PROMOTIONS—

##### Maj to Lt Col

Guillot, Earl L, TC Rolph, Arthur B, Arm  
Haines, A M, Arty Sobel, Louis, AGC  
Lynch, John E, Inf

##### To 1st Lieutenant

Peachy, Wm N, Inf Royall, Walter H  
Legener, Richard G

#### APPOINTED IN RA—

##### 1st Lieutenant

Gardner, Frank H, jr

##### Warrant Officer

Taylor, Barney C; contingent upon acpt of apt, will be promoted to temp CWO.  
Adkins, Clodeon; contingent upon acpt of apt will be promoted to temp CWO.  
Galuszka, Andrew J; contingent upon acpt of apt will be promoted to temp CWO.  
Love, Robert B; contingent upon acpt of apt will be promoted to temp CWO.

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Ruiz-Hernandez, WO Tenney, WO K C

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Newbern, Capt John D, Inf.  
Fry, Capt James G, Arty.

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Alexander, Capt Martin P Jr, Inf, USAR, to Martin P Alexander.  
Berngart, Capt Elmar Bernard, MC, NGUS, to Richard Charles Reed.  
Dahl, Capt Alice Mary, ANC USAR, to Alice Mary Orr.  
Fields, 2d Lt Brian K, CE, USAR, to Bryan K Fields.  
Fuchs, Capt Ruth Joan, WAC, USAR, to Ruth Joan Byrne.  
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Kempster, 1st Lt Mary Elizabeth, Ret-Ret, to Mary E Hand.  
Koonitz, Maj Evelyn Rose, ANC, USAR, to Evelyn Koonitz Forman.  
Learn, 2d Lt Shirley A, ANC, USAR, to Shirley A Avery.  
Litton, 1st Lt Patricia Faith, ANC, USAR, to Patricia Litton Craig.  
Morrison, Capt Fred C, Arty, USAR, to Fred C Morrison, sr.

### ADVANCED ON THE RETIRED LIST—

To Major  
Wallingsford, M/Sgt Benjamin F  
To Captain  
Taylor, M/Sgt Rex A  
To 1st Lieutenant  
Ward, M/Sgt Albert  
To Corporal  
Sampang, Pfc Adriano Pratt, Pvt Clinton J Kelly, Pvt John F

### EM RETIRED AND TRF TO USAR—

Collins, Pvt Wm Crocker, Sfc Fredk W Tuttle, M/Sgt H K Pruitt, Sfc Henry D Gulher, Cpl Chas R Sutton, Pvt E U V Embry, M/Sgt Irvin Tomasky, M/Sgt S Hand, M/Sgt Geo H Iverson, M/Sgt Wm J Adams, Cpl Frank W Wolchick, M/Sgt M T Barnes, M/Sgt O R Bourque, Sgt R A Pudliner, M/Sgt W G

### ENLISTED MEN RETIRED—

McPeak, Pvt A J Rogers, Pfc K A Deppe, Pfc Russell G Perez-Rodriguez, Pfc Hutchins, Sfc Gery L David  
Carrillo, Pfc Frank Souder, Cpl Paul R Rickett, Cpl Joe P Herald, Sgt Dewey

Oliver, Sfc Neal W Claybrooks, Pvt Fred Beach, Cpl John H Bolch, M/Sgt L E Janus, M/Sgt Buhosh Gethers, Sgt H A Zavesky, Sgt Fred C Holmes, Cpl Junius P Kane, Cpl Paul J Gilchrist, Pfc Wm E Hartzog, Pfc W C Snow, Sfc John D Hendricks, Pfc B T Crawford, Pfc A Harrison, Pvt K L

### EM ON TEMP DISAB RET LIST—

Homan, Pfc A S Alexander, Pvt H, jr Barnes, Cpl Quince Bertling, Cpl Oren A Clarkson, Cpl H E Franklin, Cpl J L Richardson, Pfc W J Cleek, Sgt Edw D Hoffman, Cpl Michael Ferris, Pfc James W Finck, Pfc Edward A Fracassi, Pfc A M Gardenhire, Pfc Jas Kyle, Pfc Gregory M Conner, Pvt R D Leonard, Pvt John P Walsh, Pvt Robt F Iuso, Pfc Lawrence V Lacey, Pvt James M Marler, Pvt Elmer W Johnson, Sgt Jos D

### EM REMOVED FROM TEMP DISAB RET LIST—

Middleton, Sgt W W Stoddard, Pvt R P Trenchard, Sgt K R Reed, Pvt Ralph E Armstead, Pfc Walter

Schrammel, Capt F Clark, Capt S L Heitman, Capt H S

### RESIGNED—

Werthebaker, Col G L Crawford, 1st Lt Monahan, Capt T V Francis G, jr Melton, Capt M E

### PERMANENT PROMOTIONS—

To 1st Lieutenant  
Rozsa, Allen C, w/DR 19 Nov 54  
W/DE 21 Nov 54  
Aponte, Luis A D Christenson, A P Astrella, Ralph

### TEMPORARY PROMOTIONS—

To 1st Lieutenant  
Spadachene, T W Wagner, Robert K Kahn, Werner D Shogli, Teresa M Snyder, Edwin H (AFNC)

### REG AF PROMOTIONS CONFIRMED—

To Colonel  
Dice, Evan A Nudell, Fred W Helfort, Albert F Uhrig, Robert A  
To Captain  
Griffith, Robert B Bilderback, W R Harmon, J B, (MC) (VC)  
Wallace, W E, (MC)

### To 1st Lieutenant

Baker, John W Hallett, Edward D Davey, Jack P Hite, Kenneth F Gray, David L Krumpke, Robert H Lewis, G S, jr Hall, Leo W, (MSC)

### HONORABLY DISCHARGED—

Thomas, Capt C B Toronto, Capt Alan F Thibodeau, Capt R F (MC)

### SEPARATIONS—

Franz, Capt Eugene T Adler, 1st Lt James J

### AIRMEN TRF TO AFRES & ASG TO

INACT STATUS—  
Bryson, M/Sgt J F Hepler, M/Sgt H N

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Burns, M/Sgt F E Cook, M/Sgt H C Davies, M/Sgt G E Goggans, M/Sgt H B Hepper, M/Sgt F E Shreve, M/Sgt Wade Hart, T/Sgt J C Carpenter, M/Sgt C H Ellis, M/Sgt H R Follette, M/Sgt H A Hartshorn, M/Sgt Donald J, sr

### AIRMEN RETIRED—

Lipinski, T/Sgt J M, jr  
Irvine, A/3C C D Smith, A/3C D D Shick, M/Sgt D A McGahee, M/Sgt M F Smith, S/Sgt R C

### AIRMEN ON TEMP DISAB RET LIST—

Johnson, S/Sgt L R Lash, Sgt Nelson O Wilkosz, A/2C E M Ballard, A/3C H G Clark, A/3C James P MacQuarrie, M/Sgt John M  
Conquest, S/Sgt B H Fox, S/Sgt Harold F Mize, A/1C James A Summers, A/1C J C

### AIRMEN REMOVED FROM TEMP DISAB

BET LIST & DISCH—  
Henderson, A/2C A L Stewart, M/Sgt S Boder, S/Sgt John Ryan, S/Sgt Frank J Bailey, A/2C Billy T Mitzlaff, A/2C J R Jenkins, A/B W K Korleski, A/B C C

Miller, Cecil B, Overseas; to Inactive duty.  
Ricard, John F, MCAS, Miami, Fla; to Inactive Status Retired list.  
Legan, Stanley F, 2dMarDiv, CamLej; to HQMC, Wash, DC.

### Captain

Annas, Themistocles T, Overseas; to MCB, Camp Pen.  
Peel, Edd F, Overseas; to ForTrps, Camp Lej.  
Adams, Peter W, MCS, Quantico; to Overseas.  
Costigan, James G, MCS, Quantico; to Overseas.  
Hibbard, Roscoe C, MCS, Quantico; to Overseas.  
Marshall, Magness W, MCS, Quantico; to MCB, Camp Pen.  
Roberts, Charles "D" "W", jr, MCS, Quantico; to MCB, Camp Pen.  
Brown, Travis D, MCRD, Parris Island; to TTU NavPhibBase, LCreek, Norfolk, Va.  
Hill, Robert E, MCRD, Parris Island; to 3d MAW, MCAS, Miami.  
Krepps, Edward H, NavPhibBase, LCreek, Norfolk; to Overseas.  
Melanson, Richard C, MarCorSupCen, Albany, Ga; to Overseas.  
Maginnis, Patrick M, NAS, Corpus Christi; to Inactive duty.

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## OFFICIAL AIR FORCE ORDERS

James H. Douglas, Jr.—Secretary of the Air Force  
Roger Lewis—Assistant Secretary (Material)  
Lyle S. Garlock—Assistant Secretary (Financial Management)  
David S. Smith—Assistant Secretary (Research & Development)  
General Nathan F. Twining—Chief of Staff

General Officer's Previous Orders Amended  
Burnside, Maj Gen (then Brig Gen) Merrill D, prev orders pertaining thereto which read "for dy as DepDir, Maint Engr, AMC, eff on dept of Brig Gen Wise" IATR "for dy as Dir of Maint Engr, AMC, eff on dept of Maj Gen Brandt."

### Colonel

White, Thomas B, Wash, DC, to Hq ConAC, Mitchell AFB, NY.  
Arnold, Lloyd E, Wash, DC, to Tenth AF, ConAC, Selfridge AFB, Mich.  
Tiede, Richard E, Wash, DC, to Hq 38th BomWg (Lt), USAF, APO 17, NY.  
Mosher, Rowland O, Wash, DC, to Hq 7330th Flying Tng Gp, USAF, APO 61, NY.  
Stoltz, Albert E, Wash, DC, to dy sta USAFA Const Agency, Colorado Springs, Colo.  
Kinney, Orson A, Wright-Patterson AFB, O, to 1072d Med Svcron, Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC.  
Strickler, Marshall H, Maxwell AFB, Ala, to Ninth Air Rescue Gp (MATS OS), APO 196, NY, NY.  
Berry, Austin L, Wash, DC, to dy sta Athens, Greece.  
Hawthorne, Harry J, Wash, DC, to Hq 3615th Pit Tng Wg, ATC, Craig AFB, Ala.

### Lt Colonel

Bruelckner, Paul H, Wash, DC, to Hq AMC, Wright-Patterson AFB, O.  
Kursar, August, Wash, DC, to 1134th USAF Sp Act Sq, Hq Comd, USAF, Ft Meyer, Va.  
Rowe, Richard R, Wash, DC, to Hq USAF, APO 633, NY, NY.

### Major

McCraw, Ruth, Wash, DC, to Hq 12th ADiv, SAC, March AFB, Calif.  
Adams, Thomas E, jr, (ChC), Tinker AFB, Okla, to 6403d PerpSq, FEAF, APO 959, San Francisco, Calif.  
Pressfield, Harry E, Hill AFB, Utah, to FEAF.  
Clark, John P, Offutt AFB, Nebr, to 3d ADiv, APO 334, San Francisco, Calif.

### Captain

O'Brien, Mahlon F, Offutt AFB, Nebr, to Hq 7th ADiv, APO 125, NY, NY.  
Rogers, George H, Hill AFB, Utah, to 12th AF, USAF.  
Berrv, Harry M, Robins AFB, Ga, to NYPOE, Brooklyn, NY.  
Dumitru, Trevor I, Ft Williams, Ont, Canada, to dy sta HEDMOAMA, Brookley AFB, Ala.  
Hart, John P, Ent AFB, Colo, to Hq 312th Ftr-Bomr Wg, TAC, Clovis AFB, NMex.  
Malaney, Robert V, Travis AFB, Calif, to 1414th AB Gp, Dhahran.

### 1st Lieutenant

Pardun, Orin V, Cleveland, O, to 3450th Tech Tng Wg, FE Warren AFB, Wyo.  
Mendenhall, Elborn E, (MSC), Robins AFB, Ga, to 3d AF, USAF.

### 2d Lieutenant

Olmsted, Robert R, Wright-Patterson AFB, O, to 818th Air Depot, SAC, Lincoln AFB, Nebr.

### FORMER ORDERS REVOKED—

Arnold, Col Lloyd E, prev orders rel to rag thereof, are revo.  
Hawthorne, Col Harry J, prev orders rel thereto, fr Wash, DC, to Bryan AFB, Tex, revo.

### RETIRED—

Carter, Col (Lt Col) John F, fr Hq 96th BomWg (Med), SAC, Altus, Okla, & adv to gr of Col.  
Wilson, Lt Col John J, fr Hq SBAMA, AMC, Norton AFB, Calif.  
Albino, Lt Col Anthony A, fr 533d Mat Sq, ADC, Oxnard AFB, Calif.  
Hamel, Maj Albert L, fr 3650th USAF Hosp, ATC, Sampson AFB, NY.  
Pike, Maj Henry W, fr Hq WADF, ADC, Hamilton AFB, Calif.  
Lloyd, Maj Alvin, fr Hq 807th AB Gp, SAC, March AFB, Calif, in gr of Lt Col.  
Federico, Maj Antonio, fr Hq 2500th AB Wg, ConAC, Mitchell AFB, NY.  
Marshall, Maj Floyd M, fr Hq 3450th Tech Tng Gp, ATC, F E Warren AFB, Wyo.  
Perry, Capt Frank R, fr 1100th USAF Hosp, Hq Comd, USAF, Bolling AFB, DC.  
McDonough, 1st Lt Margaret A, fr 3650th USAF Hosp, ATC, Sampson AFB, NY.

### OFFICERS TEMP DISAB RET LIST—

Sigl, Capt James A, fr 1072d Med Svc Sq, Hq Comd, USAF, Walter Reed AMC, Wash, DC.  
Hartz, Capt Jerry M, fr 1072d Med Svc Sq, Hq Comd, USAF, Walter Reed AMC, Wash, DC.  
Sprott, Capt Charles S, fr 3750th USAF Hosp, ATC, Sheppard AFB, Tex.  
Hawthorne, 1st Lt Roy O, jr, fr 3810th USAF Hosp, AU, Maxwell AFB, Ala.  
Callaghan, 1st Lt Maureen L, fr 3810th USAF Hosp, AU, Maxwell AFB, Ala.

### OFFICERS REMOVED FR TEMP DISAB

RET LIST—  
Izard, Capt E R, jr West, Capt Robert H

## OFFICIAL MARINE CORPS ORDERS

Commandant—Gen. Lemuel C. Shepherd, Jr.  
Asst. Comdt.—Lt. Gen. Randolph McC. Pate

### Colonel

June, Frank M, 2dMAW, MCAS, CherPt; to MCA, Landing Field, Beaufort, SC.

### Lt Colonel

Gooding, Theodore, Overseas; to MarPac, San Fran.  
Hartkopf, Albert C, MCRD, Parris Island; to Inactive status, Retired list.  
Frank, Louis L, MCAS, El Toro; to 2dMAW, CherPt.  
Musselman, John C, jr, Overseas; to Inactive duty.  
Manchester, Benjamin B, III, 2dMAW, MCAS, CherPt; to Overseas.  
Walker, Milton C, ForTrps, CamLej; to Inactive duty.  
Thompson, Murray L, Pope AF Base, Ft Bragg; to MCRD, San Diego.  
Cowles, Charles H, 2dMarDiv, CamLej; to 1stSplInfBn, NAS, New Orleans.  
Stiles, William A, 2dMarDiv, CamLej; to NavB, Norfolk, Va.  
Elliott, Richard M, FMFPacTrps, CamPen; to MCSC, Albany, Ga.

### Major

Norris, James C, jr, Overseas; to MCS, Quantico.  
Witzel, Max M, Overseas; to ForTrps, Cam Lej.  
Hopkins, William R, MCB, CamLej; to MCSA, San Fran.  
Williams, Walter L, Overseas; to MCRD, Parris Island.  
Bulkowski, Stanley P, NavB, Portsmouth, NH; to FMFPacTrps, CamPen.  
Sparling, Frederick E, MCAS, Miami; to Inactive status Retired list.  
Cox, Lester D, MCAS, Miami; to Inactive status Retired list.  
Piel, Russell, NavHosp CamPen; to Inactive status Temp Daabl Retired list.  
DeKeyser, Charles F, MCAS, El Toro; to ForTrps, CamLej.  
Zastrow, Herbert E, Ft Sill, Okla; to 1st 90mm AAA Gun Bn, Freemansburg, Pa.  
Martin, Samuel F, MCAS, CherPt; to Overseas.  
Merrick, Herbert R, jr, 1st 90mm AAA Gun Bn, Freemansburg, Pa; to Overseas.  
Lentz, Paul W, Overseas; to Inactive duty.

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## SERVICE FAMILY NOTES



**USHERETTES** — These nine young ladies ushered for the Association of Military Surgeons' concert, given on the evening of 29 Nov., in the Presidential Ballroom of the Statler Hotel, Washington, on the occasion of the Association's 61st Convention. The concert was presented by the National Symphony, and was sponsored by Merck & Company. The usherettes (back row, from left to right) are: the Misses Jane Carmody, daughter of Capt. (MC, USN) and Mrs. Robert Carmody; Kirstin Knutson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John Knutson; Sandra Anderson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Otis Anderson; Kathleen Terese Pekin, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Pekin; (center row, left to right) Betty Mary Benford, daughter of Col. (MC, USAF) and Mrs. Robert Benford; Peggy Ann Wingo, daughter of Capt. (MC, USA) and Mrs. Burrell Wingo; Barbara Ann Benford, also a daughter of Col. and Mrs. Robert Benford; (front row, left to right) Penny Bryan, daughter of Lt. Col. (MC, USA) and Mrs. Roy B. Bryan; and Patricia Ellen Pekin, another daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Pekin.

**MRS. Willis Prague Coleman**, widow of Colonel Coleman, returned this week to her home in Tampa, Fla., after her annual visit with her daughter, Mrs. Thomas J. Johnson of Washington, who entertained at a birthday dinner for her previous to her departure.

Among the guests were Gen. and Mrs. Clarence L. Sturdevant, whom Mrs. Coleman also visited; Miss Elizabeth Sturdevant, Mrs. Ross D. Thompson, Mrs. James Waddington, the latter's son-in-law and daughter, Col. and Mrs. James E. Bowen, Mrs. William J. Sweeney, and Col. and Mrs. E. E. Gresler.

### AGC Reception Honors Kleins—

The Ft. McNair Officer's Club Grand Ballroom was the scene on 3 Dec. of The Adjutant General's Corps Pre-holiday Reception honoring Maj. Gen. and Mrs. John A. Klein, USA, The Adjutant General. Some 300 AGC officers and their ladies residing in the Washington area have attended.

In the receiving line to greet the guests were General Klein, Maj. Gen. Herbert M. Jones, Brig. Gen. Robert V. Lee, Col.

Herbert V. Mitchell, Col. Louis W. Jackson, Col. Robert L. Anderson, Col. Raymond E. Hoyne, Col. Ward W. Conquest and their ladies.

### Coast Guard Wives' Club—

The December meeting of the Coast Guard Wives' Club of New York will be a luncheon to welcome honorary members. There will be bridge, canasta and scrabble after the luncheon.

The meeting will take place Wednesday, 8 Dec., at 1:00 p.m. at the Coast Guard Base, Staten Island, N. Y. All wives of Coast Guard men and their friends are cordially invited. Mrs. H. B. Roberts, President, will preside.

### Marine Officers' Wives' Club—

The Marine Officers' Wives' Club of Washington, D. C. met 17 Nov. for an interest-packed fete, featuring social hour, luncheon, business meeting and program.

Mrs. Franklin A. Hart, wife of General Hart, USMC, who recently arrived in the United States from Hawaii, was the special guest of honor. She received members with Mrs. Lemuel C. Shepherd, jr., the wife of the Marine Corps Commandant, and Mrs. Thomas A. Wornham, club president.

Following the luncheon and business meeting, Mrs. Nels Nelson, program chairman, introduced the guest speaker, Camilla Moody Payne, prominent interior designer, who lists the decoration of Blair House, the presidential guest house, as one of her major achievements. Mrs. Payne spoke on "The Development of Taste" and illustrated many points on color and fabric with a display of material swaths.

Hostesses were the wives of officers of the Division of Personnel, headed by Mrs. Reginald H. Ridgely, jr., the wife of Major General Ridgely, and a past president of the club. Assisting Mrs. Ridgely were Mrs. St. Julia Marshall, Mrs. Karl Louther, Mrs. Franklin Nihart, Mrs. John Padley, Mrs. Richard De Lamar, Mrs. James Fetters, and Mrs. Andrew Zimmer.

The Hostess Committee was responsible for luncheon details and for the attractive dry arrangements of eucalyptus, cat-tails, and catalpa pods, mixed with fresh autumn-hued chrysanthemums, which graced each luncheon table as its centerpiece.

Decorating the club lounge were

**MRS. HAROLD E. TAL-BOTT** (left), Mrs. Robert W. Hasbrouck (center), committee chairman; and Mrs. Matthew B. Ridgway, who played important parts in the arrangements for the concert given at the Lisner Auditorium, on the evening of 4 Dec., for the benefit of the General Lucius Clay Fund for German Youth Activities. The program featured singing by the West Point Glee Club, the Mount Vernon Junior College Glee Club and by the 1954 Meistersinger contest winner, baritone Manfred Capell of Berlin, Germany.



mounted covers of well-known home decorating magazines, swirls of material, and various sewing accessories.

Mrs. Richard E. Campbell was the lucky winner of tickets to the performance in Constitution Hall of the Concertgebouw Orchestra, from the Netherlands, the gift of Mrs. Shepherd.

The club will hold its next meeting on the third Wednesday in January.

### Navy Supply Corps Officers' Wives Club—

Mrs. Ralph J. Arnold, wife of Rear Admiral Arnold, Chief of the Navy's Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, greeted the 135 members of the Club and their guests, at the Army-Navy Country Club, when the Navy Supply Corps Officers' Wives Club gathered, for their November luncheon. Receiving with her were Mrs. Joel D. Parks, wife of Rear Admiral Parks, Mrs. T. L. Becknell, jr., wife of Rear Admiral Becknell, Mrs. DeWitt Mackenzie and Mrs. A. E. Desrosier.

One of Washington's leading florists addressed the members, and advised, "Let yourselves go," regarding Christmas decorations, swags, mantelpiece and table decor. He showed some interesting professional tricks with plastic ribbon, paint sprays, pine cones and a variety of greens, all of which imbued the members with a touch of the real pre-Christmas spirit.

Mrs. F. D. Smith, chairman of the decorating committee, and her assistants, Mesdames R. H. Wilson, R. W. Granston and C. A. Raymond had achieved an "over-the-river-and-through-the-woods" atmosphere, by means of a sketch of snow and country life in the background, and small pumpkins, Autumn vegetables and fruits on the tables.

Hostesses were Mesdames I. S. Moore, T. C. Mason, M. L. Brooks, W. E. Cryer, jr., R. B. Blackwell, R. Ironmonger, L. D. Ellingwood, H. S. Holtslander and J. L. F. Hennessy.

### Visit General Snyder—

Mrs. John J. Magee and her small daughter, Mary Margaret, arrived recently, from Bismarck, N. Dak., to spend December with Mrs. Magee's father, Maj. Gen. Oscar P. Snyder, Chief of the Army Dental Corps, at his home, 4812 Essex Ave., Somerset, Md., when General Snyder and his sister, Mrs. Grace Warnes, will play hosts to the six-weeks-old granddaughter, on her first Christmas.

### Navy Doctors' Wives' Club—

The Navy Doctors' Wives Club of Washington will hold its monthly luncheon meeting on 9 Dec. at 12:30 at the Officers' Club, National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md.

In anticipation of the Christmas Holidays, the program will feature a discus-

sion of the Christmas customs and traditions of Sweden. Mrs. Margareta Söderblom, Attache of the Swedish Embassy will be the guest speaker. An added attraction will be the singing of two Christmas songs by Mrs. Alma W. Alderson accompanied on the piano by her husband, Dr. James Alderson, who will also entertain at the piano.

Decorations will carry out the yuletide motif. They will be ably handled by Mrs. Richard C. Fowler.

Anyone eligible for membership who has not been contacted may make reservations by calling Mrs. Robert L. Ware at Ju 7-7557.

### Women's Club of Army Surgeon General's Office—

Maj. Gen. George E. Armstrong, The Surgeon General of the Army, and Mrs. Armstrong, and Maj. Gen. Silas B. Hays, The Deputy Surgeon General and Mrs. Hays, will comprise the receiving line at the first dinner-dance to be sponsored by the Women's Club of the Army Surgeon General's Office since its organization a few months ago. The event will be held on the evening of 14 Dec., at the Officers Club, Ft. Lesley J. McNair. The Ft. Myer orchestra will provide the music for the dancing.

Mrs. Roger G. Prentiss, jr., who is the chairman, is being assisted by Mrs. Joseph R. Shaeffer and Mrs. Clark B. Meador in completing the arrangements for this occasion.

### Army Engineer Officers and Wives Entertain—

The Chief of Engineers, U. S. Army, and Mrs. Samuel D. Sturgis, jr., entertained at dinner in their Washington home, on the evening of 3 Dec., honoring Mr. Lewis Castle, Administrator of the St. Louis Seaway Corporation. The guest list included Under Secretary of the Army and Mrs. George H. Roderick, Mr. and Mrs. H. Johnson, Mrs. Forrest Royal and Col. and Mrs. C. V. Allen.

Mrs. A. D. Starbird joined Mrs. John U. Allen at the latter's Arlington, Va. home, on 24 Nov., in entertaining at a coffee hour, when Mrs. Sturgis was guest of honor. Others attending were Mesdames Emerson C. Itschner, J. Arthur Hamilton, D. G. Williams, T. H. Lipscomb, A. A. Chabert, O. B. Brown, A. W. Betts and Charles M. Roberts.

The Sail Loft at the Naval Gun Factory will be gay with holly, berries and mistletoe this evening (4 Dec.), when the Army Corps of Engineers celebrates its traditional pre-Christmas get-together, with a cocktail buffet. Mrs. Walter P. Leber is in charge of the program and will be assisted by Mrs. John Buehler, Mrs. D. Burton and Mrs. J. Arthur Hamilton.

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**GOVERNORS ISLAND, N. Y.**—At a farewell tea recently honoring Mrs. Withers A. Burress, wife of Lieut. General Burress, First Army Commander, who, after 38 years service, is retiring from the Army, on 30 Nov., Mrs. Burress is seen here (left) with Mrs. William R. Cohen, president of the Women's Club (center) talking with Mrs. Donald W. St. Louis. The tea, attended by more than 200, was held in the Parapet Room of the Ft. Jay Officers' Club.

**ARMY CHEMICAL CENTER, MD.**—At a flower show and luncheon, held at the Gunpowder Officers' Mess, recently, Mrs. John R. Burns (left), wife of the Center's Commanding General, presents a floral display to Mrs. Carl Middledege (center), recipient of the door prize, while Mrs. William C. Behrenberg (right), president of the Officers' Wives Club, looks on.





## Service Family Notes

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### Pre-Holiday Luncheon for AGC Ladies—

Wives of Adjutant General Corps Officers will hold their annual Pre-Holiday Luncheon at the Fort McNair Officers' Club on Thursday 9 Dec., it is announced by Mrs. John A. Klein, wife of Major General Klein, The Army Adjutant General.

Attending this affair will be the wives of some 100 AGC officers assigned to activities of The Adjutant General's Office in the Washington area.

Hostess for the luncheon is Mrs. R. E. Hoyne, wife of Colonel Hoyne who heads the Administrative Services Division of The Adjutant General's Office. Others on the committee include Mesdames: A. H. Harner, M. L. Tjostem, O. A. Scott, A. D. Shaw, F. W. Murrow, R. N. Walker, and R. M. Weathers.

### Army Dental Wives Luncheon—

Christmas arrived on 2 Dec., in the ballroom of the Officers' Club at Walter Reed Army Hospital, when the Army Dental Wives of the Washington area held their December luncheon.

Under the able chairmanship of Mrs. George H. Timke, with Mrs. R. L. Lister in charge of reservations, Mrs. W. L. Lancaster heading the decorations, the rest of the committee included Mesdames Robert B. Shira, Daniel G. Carroll, Charles E. Turner and William L. Lawther.

Following a social hour and a tempting luncheon, Mrs. Arthur L. Irons, president of the Club, conducted a short business meeting; guests were introduced and welcomed, and the meeting was adjourned with a "merry Christmas to all."

### Signal Corps Ladies To Meet—

The Signal Corps Ladies luncheon will be held at the Army-Navy Country Club, on 7 Dec., at 12:30 p.m., when Mrs. Hester B. Provensen will present a group from the University of Maryland's Drama Department, in a Christmas play. Guests will be welcome. Reservations may be made by calling Mrs. Robert F. Wilson at Jackson 2-5860.

## Weddings and Engagements

**MISS Edith Peake Boatner**, daughter of Lt. Gen. (USAF) and Mrs. Bryant LeMaire Boatner of Washington, D. C., was married, on 2 Dec., to Capt. St. Clair Streett, Jr., USA, son of Major General (USAF-Ret.) and Mrs. Streett of Lusby, Md.

Maj. Gen. Charles I. Carpenter, Chief of Air Force Chaplains, officiated at the late afternoon ceremony, at the Base Chapel, Bolling AFB, DC.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a cotillion-length gown of candlelight Chantilly lace, designed with a cummerbund of draped satin above a bouffant skirt of pleated nylon tulle, etched with lace. Her fingertip veil of illusion fell from a cap of matching lace, bound with shirred illusion and embroidered with seed pearls.

Mrs. Robert Owens Carter, sister of the bride, was matron of honor, and the bridesmaids were the Misses Mildred Imirie, Janet Lindeman and Wanda Lee Cates. Lt. Thomas J. Moran, USA, was best man. The ushers were Maj. William Kinsey, Jr., USA, Capt. Cargyle H. Charles, USA, and Guy H. McCarey, USA, Lts. Herman J. Oellerick, USA, and Arthur Cleary, USA.

The bride was graduated from St. Agnes School, Alexandria, Va., and attended the University of Maryland and George Washington University. The bridegroom is a graduate of the U. S. Military Academy, class of '49, and is with the Corps of Engineers.

Upon their return from a wedding trip, Captain and Mrs. Streett will be stationed at Ft. Meade.

**BOWMAN-CHAMBERLIN**—Lt. Gen. and Mrs. Stephen J. Chamberlin, USA-Ret., of Asheville, N. C., announce the engagement of their daughter, Sarah Shanks, to Lt. Peter W. Bowman, USAR.

Miss Chamberlin is the granddaughter of the late Maj. Gen. and Mrs. David Cary Shanks. Lieutenant Bowman is the



**MISS SHIRLEY LOUISE BURKE**, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Carl V. Burke of Carlisle, Pa., whose engagement to Ens. Henry Clayton Atwood, Jr., USN, has been announced by her parents.



**MRS. ROBERT PARK-ER MORRIS**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Randolph Armstrong, before her recent marriage to Lieutenant Morris, son of Col. (USA-Ret.) and Mrs. James Monroe Morris, was Miss Elizabeth Armstrong.



**MRS. WILLIAM F. CHURCHILL**, bride of Lieutenant (jg) Churchill, USN, who, before her marriage, on 25 Nov., was Miss Sarah Louise Kirby, daughter of Capt. (MC, USN) and Mrs. Dunne W. Kirby of Manor Heights, Port Deposit, Md.



**MRS. ST. CLAIRE STREETT, JR.**, daughter of Lt. Gen. (USAF) and Mrs. Bryant LeMaire Boatner of Washington, D. C., the former Miss Edith Peake Boatner, before her marriage this week, to Captain Streett, USA, son of Maj. Gen. (USAF-Ret.) and Mrs. Streett of Lusby, Md.



**MRS. GEORGE E. HALPIN, JR.**, the former Miss Alice Eileen Bird, daughter of Maj. and Mrs. Edward E. Bird of Glen Burnie, Md., who was married to Captain Halpin, on 20 Nov., at the Post Chapel, Ft. Meade, Md.

### Jr. Army Daughters Entertain—

The Washington Junior Chapter of the Daughters of the U. S. Army will give its annual Yuletide eggnog party today (4 Dec.) from 5 to 7 at the Ft. Myer, Va. Officers Club. The guest list includes Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Malcolm F. Lindsey and Col. and Mrs. Eli E. Daman. Mrs. Lindsey is National President and Mrs. Daman is Senior Chapter President of DUSA.

Others invited are Mr. W. F. McIntosh, president of the Officers Service Club of Washington, and members of the Board of Directors of that Club.

### Ft. McNair Wives Club Lunch—

The Officers' Wives Club of Ft. Lesley J. McNair met for luncheon on 2 Dec. at the Ft. McNair Officers' Open Mess. Hostesses were Mrs. Thomas H. Farnsworth and Mrs. Monroe D. King.

Harris. Mr. John J. White, Jr., of New York City, served as best man, and ushering were Capt. James Black, USMC, Lts. (jg) Charles C. McDonald, USN, Edward A. Rick, USN, Shelby O. Bewley, USN, Gerard P. Burke, USN, and Ens. Donald C. Corbett, USN.

The bride was graduated from St. Mary's Hall, Burlington, N. J., and the bridegroom is a graduate of Holy Cross College.

Upon their return from a wedding trip, the young couple will make their home at Manor Heights, Port Deposit.

**ARMSTRONG-MORRIS**—Lt. Robert Parker Morris, USA, son of Col. (USA-Ret.) and Mrs. James Monroe Morris of Gainesville, Fla., was married to Miss Elizabeth Armstrong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Randolph Armstrong of Miami, Fla., on 27 Nov. at the Holy Cross Episcopal Church, Miami.

The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. Leslie M. Hamill, as matron of honor, and two other Phi Mu sorority sisters as bridesmaids.

Lieutenant Morris chose as his best man and groomsmen all former classmates from West Point, with the exception of the head usher, Capt. James M. Morris, Jr., his brother.

The couple will motor to Ft. Benning, Ga., where Lieutenant Morris is currently stationed.

**ATWOOD-BURKE**—Col. and Mrs. Carl V. Burke of the Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, Pa., have announced

the engagement of their daughter, Miss Shirley Louise Burke, to Ens. Henry Clayton Atwood, Jr., USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Atwood of Wellfleet, Mass.

Miss Burke attended the College of William and Mary at Williamsburg, Va., and is a member of the Gamma Phi Beta sorority. Ensign Atwood is a graduate of Brown University, where he was a member of the Sigma Chi fraternity. He is presently assigned to the USS Holder, based at Norfolk, Va.

Plans for the wedding will be announced later.

### Commands Alaska CE Bn.

Lt. Col. John F. Schwartz, USA, has been named commander of the 42d Engineer Construction Battalion at Ft. Richardson, Alaska, succeeding Lt. Col. Mont S. Johnston, Jr., USA, who has been assigned to the Office of the Chief of Engineers, with duty station at Chicago, Ill.

Colonel Schwartz previously was commanding officer of the 645th Engineer Battalion (Combat) at Ft. Campbell, Ky.

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## Notes from Posts, Stations, and Bases



ORLEANS, FRANCE — Col. Robert D. Beiknap, US Army Hospital, La Chapelle, presents service bar to Mrs. Johnnie Kidder, newly-elected chairman of the American Red Cross Grey Lady group at the hospital, in recognition of her 176½ hours of voluntary service during 12-month period.

## Year-Round Program Planned For SAC's 54,000 Children; Volunteers To Operate

A planned program for the Strategic Air Command's 54,000 dependent youth, paralleling modern big-city programs, is scheduled for all SAC bases by personnel services officials now writing a new SAC regulation on Dependent Youth programs and Dependent Youth Councils.

The proposed regulation is a direct result of the SAC-wide dependent youth program convalesce at Forbes AFB, Topeka, Kan., last month.

The age group that will benefit by the current planning is considered at most SAC bases to be seven years through 18 years. The 54,000 tally of SAC dependent children is steadily increasing according to personnel officials.

Lt. Col. Donald Kupfer, SAC personnel

services chief, stated increased social and recreational activity will result from the new regulation. Recreation centers with slides and swings in Wherry areas, summer camps, gym, dancing, arts and craft facilities, all under professionally trained leaders, are being proposed.

Volunteers will still carry the leadership and administrative load for SAC's youth recreation, Colonel Kupfer said, but programmed utilization of base facilities and equipment and fund-raising activities, will give them more to work with.

"The proposed year-round aggressive program for our children," Colonel Kupfer said, "will be a real SAC morale factor."

### Ladies' Day at Jump School

■ FT. BENNING, GA. The Infantry School's Airborne Department held a Ladies' Day Monday. It began with a briefing by Col. Leland G. Cagwin of Carbondale, Pa., department director. The ladies then were oriented on the five basic techniques of parachuting, methods of parachute control, and air transportability and aerial delivery of heavy equipment.

Following a coffee break, the women went to Fryar Field to observe jumps by airborne trainees.

Purpose of Ladies' Day was to give women on the post an opportunity to become acquainted with airborne activities.

### Turkey Shoot For Ladies

■ FT. BENNING, GA. The ladies of the Automotive Department held their November luncheon in the Green Room of the Main Officers' Mess. Mrs. Harold B. Johnson and Mrs. Arden J. King were hostesses.

Members brought gifts of food and clothing for the Chaplain's Christmas Box.

Following lunch, the ladies participated in a turkey shoot. Mrs. Gerry Nobles won a turkey by defeating Mrs. Robert E. Holman in the final match.

Later the ladies toured the Automotive Department as guests of Col. Robert E. Holman, department director.

### New Officers at Missile Center

■ FT. BLISS, TEX. New officers for four key positions in the Antiaircraft Artillery and Guided Missile Center have been announced. They are: Col. Max N. Clizon, Adjutant General; Col. Earl M. Corothers, G-4; Col. Sylvester A. Hall, Post Ordnance Officer, and Col. Kenan M. Rand, Post Transportation Officer.

Colonel Clizon, who is serving his first assignment at Ft. Bliss, came to the post early in November from Germany, where he had been Adjutant General of VII Corps for three years.

Before coming to Ft. Bliss, Colonel Corothers, new G-4, was chief of staff at Headquarters, Trieste United States Troops (TRUST) in the military zone of Trieste on the Italian Yugoslav border.

Colonel Hall, new Bliss Ordnance Officer, came to the post in November after a 14-month tour of duty as Chief, Ammunition Branch, Field Service, Office Chief of Ordnance, in Washington, D. C.

Colonel Rand, new Post Transportation Officer, will serve as Corps Transportation Officer for "Operation Clover Leaf" in December. Before assuming duty as Transportation Officer, he was with the Antiaircraft Artillery Replacement Training Center in a staff position.

### \$30,000 to Charities

■ ARMY CHEMICAL CENTER, MD. Military personnel and civilian employees contributed more than \$30,000 to the consolidated charities campaign conducted here last month. The figure represents the largest per capita donations in the history of the post charities program. The drive netted more than \$10,000 for the Baltimore area and just over \$15,000 for the Harford County agencies.

Chief national beneficiaries as designated by individual contributions will be the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, \$4,200; Red Cross, \$4,000 (this is the first time this organization has been included in the consolidated charities program); American Cancer Society, \$3,800; Heart Fund, \$3,200, and Muscular Dystrophy Association, \$1,000.

Col. Garland M. White, commanding officer of the Technical Escort Detachment, was honored last week by the United States Navy Explosive Ordnance Technical Center of Indianhead, Md. He was awarded an Honorary Disposal Certificate in appreciation of the assistance he gave the Ordnance Center in setting up a chemical disposal school.

This is the first time a Disposal Certificate was given to a member of the Army.

### New Cols. at Field Forces

■ FT. MONROE, VA. Col. J. Donald Bell, USA, has been appointed Quartermaster, Office, Chief of Army Field Forces. He formerly was with the Quartermaster Training Com-

### Benefit Needy Children

■ FT. BROOKE, P. R. Over 250 women from San Juan attended a card party given by the Ft. Brooke Altar Guilds at the El Morro Officers Mess, 3 Nov., to benefit needy children.

Mrs. Kenneth S. Sweany, wife of the Commanding General, U. S. Army Forces in Puerto Rico, explained the charitable activities the Altar Guilds will undertake with the funds raised by the card party. Mrs. Sweany and Mrs. Antullo Segarra, Chairman of the event, thanked those who attended for their cooperation in the Altar Guild's project.

Pouring tea and coffee at the party were Mrs. Sweany, honorary president of the Guilds; Mrs. Thomas P. Juliucci and Mrs. Johnathan O. Nottingham, co-presidents of the Guilds; Mrs. James W. Duncan, Mrs. George McCutchen and Mrs. John R. Himes. Cake and cookies for the tea were contributed by the ladies of the Ft. Brooke Post.

Mrs. Segarra, Mrs. Paul S. Hicks, Mrs. Fred E. Sorady, Mrs. Carroll V. Hughes, Mrs. Eduardo Andino and Mrs. McCutchen were members of the committee organizing the card party.

### Welcome Mrs. Seleen

■ DETROIT, MICH. Mrs. Paul M. Seleen, wife of the new Commanding General of the Ordnance Tank-Automotive Command, was welcomed recently at a coffee given by the ladies of the Ft. Wayne Women's Club. Mrs. Edward G. Heller, President, received with Mrs. Seleen, and greeted the members and guests, many of whom Mrs. Seleen knew when she and General Seleen were with the Detroit Ordnance District during 1951-52. The Officers' Club decorations followed the autumn theme, and the coffee table was attractive with an arrangement of fruits and flowers. Presiding at the coffee table were Mesdames Gunnar Carlson, Norman Thompson, Jean Engler, and Edward Mohlere.



MRS. PAUL M. SALEEN (right), wife of the new Commanding General of the Detroit Ordnance Tank-Automotive Command, was welcomed at a coffee, recently, given by the members of the Ft. Wayne Women's Club. Presiding at the coffee service is Mrs. Gunnar C. Carlson, wife of the Deputy Commander of the Tank-Automotive Command.

## Benning Raises \$3,050 To Aid Schools

■ FT. BENNING, GA. A record net of \$3,050 for Ft. Benning schools was raised by the annual Halloween Carnival, according to Lt. Col. L. H. Johnson, P-TA president.

The money is normally used to purchase such items as motion picture film and magazine subscriptions, reference books and projectors. This year, however, it will be used to restore more basic items and services which have been deleted due to a curtailment of school funds.

The president also reported that "the November Open House meeting was an unqualified success. Registrations of parents visit-

ing the class rooms totaled 1,141."

Room prizes for parents' attendance, according to Mrs. Hazel Scudder, superintendent, were won by Mrs. Ardath Carmichael's eighth grade at Faith, Miss Peggy Vallentine's third grade at Custer, and Miss Betty Lillie's second grade at Main Post.

Lt. Col. Harold B. Johnson, membership chairman, reported that approximately 1,100 families, nearly 900 are P-TA members.

The December meeting, to be held 13 Dec., will be a Christmas program, says Lt. Col. John L. Carson, Maj. and Mrs. L. D. Royalty are in charge.

mand, Ft. Lee, Va., replacing Col. C. P. Bellican, USA-Ret.

Col. Lauren W. Merriam, USA, has been assigned to OCAFF Combat Operations Research Group. He came from Frankfurt, Germany, where he served as Assistant Chief of Staff, G-1 (Personnel), V Corps.

Lt. Col. Henry J. Griffin of Boston, Mass., has reported for duty at the Adjutant General's Section, OCAFF. Colonel Griffin, who entered the Army in May 1930, was formerly stationed in Japan with Headquarters, Army Forces, Far East.

### Army In Korea To Bring Christmas Cheer To Needy

"Operation Santa Claus," a campaign sponsored by Army troops in Korea to raise money for the purchase of food, gifts and clothing for thousands of Korean orphans, welfare institutions, needy families and Korean employees of the U. S. Army, is currently underway.

In addition to their own contributions, the soldiers are encouraging the dona-

tion of clothing, food and toys as well as cash by friends and relatives in this country.

All packages should be addressed to individuals or specific units in Korea. Contributions of donated supplies for specific units should be mailed to: AFAC Operation Santa Claus, c/o Specific Command or Unit, Pusan, Korea. Persons who wish to contribute, but do not have specific units in mind, should address such donated supplies to AFAC Operation Santa Claus, c/o either the Commanding General, Pusan Military Post, Pusan, Korea, or Commanding Officer, Inchon Military Post, Inchon, Korea.

Parcels not mailed to a specific individual or unit in Korea may also be mailed or shipped to any of the following Army Posts of Embarkation: New York; Seattle, Wash.; San Francisco and New Orleans. Shipments for Operation Santa Claus should arrive at the port no later than 31 Jan. 1955.

### Christmas For Orphans

■ PARIS. Ladies of the Seine Area Command Wives Club combined their monthly business meeting with a welcoming luncheon recently, honoring the arrival of Mrs. Richard H. Lawson, wife of the Seine Area Command Commanding Officer, Colonel Lawson.

More than 40 women were present at the luncheon which opened with a presentation of a corsage to Mrs. Lawson. During the business meeting the ladies discussed plans for Christmas season activities for French orphans and a Christmas party for dependent children. The meeting closed with a presentation of a slate of officers for the coming year.

Mrs. Kern Posey played incidental piano music during the pre-luncheon gathering.

### Plan Charitable Project

■ ATLANTA GENERAL DEPOT, GA. New officers were installed at the November meeting of the Woman's Club, and a new charitable project was planned. Taking office were Mesdames J. W. Moon, President; W. E. Anglin, 1st vice president; J. D. Moholy, 2d vice president; C. C. Baum, secretary; and E. C. Skinner, treasurer. Mrs. A. W. Beeman

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY — A new slate of officers for the V Corps Women's Club took office, recently, at a luncheon, at the Frankfurt Casino, when wives of the Corps Medical and Finance Sections were hostesses. The new officers are (seated, from left to right): Mrs. Robert S. Hall, president; Mrs. Charles E. Hart, honorary president; Mrs. Joseph S. Foley, vice-president; (standing, left to right) Mrs. Harry A. Sommer, welfare chairman; Mrs. John R. Shaffer, secretary; and Mrs. Charles A. Rigler, treasurer.



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is honorary president. A decision was made to select a needy family in East Clayton County as the recipient of a substantial amount of food during Christmas. A survey will be made by a Club committee to determine the family most in need of the gift. Plans were also discussed pertaining to the teen-age program of entertainment which the Club supports at the Depot.

### Meade Youngsters Honor Students

■ **FT. MEADE, MD.** Four members from the Junior Class of Anne Arundel High School, Millersville, have been selected to be members of the National Honor Society. Outstanding students are: Miss Anne Chard, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Robert H. Chard, Adjutant General, Second Army; Miss Karina Lichirle, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Cornelius A. Lichirle, assigned to Headquarters Second Army; Wesley Wilson, son of Col. and Mrs. Wesley C. Wilson, Headquarters Second Army, and Douglas Salyers, son of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Salyers, Civilian Personnel Officer.

### Install New Officers

■ **LORING AFB, ME.** Installation of newly elected officers of the Officers' Wives Club took place recently at an afternoon tea. In the receiving line were Mesdames Bertram C. Harrison, wife of the Commanding General of the 45th Air Division; Tom B. Stewart, president of the Club; William E. McElhannon, vice-president; Jamieson Newell, Club secretary; and William P. Colgin, treasurer. Pouring at the tea table were Mesdames Arthur E. Magrill, B. B. Urbanowski, Robert E. Hardwick, Jr., Glenn E. Dietz, Bernard T. Dorsey, John Harrington, James E. Melancon, Robert R. Scott, Paul Alwine, Ralph D. Lloyd, Leland Hufstader and David C. Jolly. A centerpiece of dozens of red roses, together with white laced tea cakes decorated with red roses carried out the red and white motif.

### Sponsors Fashion Show

■ **ROCK ISLAND ARSENAL, ILL.** Officers' Wives Club and the Reserve Officers' Wives Association of the Quad Cities co-sponsored a benefit fashion show and tea on 16 Nov., at the Rock Island Arsenal Golf Club. The proceeds were contributed to the Army Relief Society and Army Emergency Relief Society.

The success of the fund raising project was due, to a great extent, to the generous response of the many friends of the Army in attending the show. A leading local department store presented a lovely collection of Fall fashions with the following club members assisting the professional models: Mesdames Ernest C. Sanders, John C. Linnberg, Paul J. Roberts, Felix Gersten, Norman C. McCardell, Harold M. Kaplan, Charles R. Fish, Gordon T. Jenkins. Ferns, fall flowers and leaves formed the decorative motif for the tea table and club lounge.

Committee chairmen were Mesdames Theodore A. Weyher, Planning and Army Relief Representative at Rock Island Arsenal; Ernest C. Sanders, Publicity; Nelson Leclair, Jr., Decoration; Percy Coombs, Tickets; Carl A. Hand, Models; Arthur R. Cyr, Fashion Show Treasurer. Presiding at the tea table were Mrs. Theodore A. Weyher, wife of the Arsenal's Commanding General, and honorary president of the Officers' Wives Club; Mrs. Arthur R. Cyr, wife of the Deputy Commander of Rock Island Arsenal; Mrs. W. J. Hannan, past-president of the Reserve Officers' Wives Association, and Mrs. Robert V. Froude, the president-elect of the Reserve Officers' Wives group.

At the last meeting of "Stitch," the monthly afternoon card club, the Rock Island Arsenal Officers' Wives Club elected the following new officers: Mesdames Paul J. Roberts, president; Howard A. McKerral, vice-president; Matthew L. Tippit, secretary-treasurer.

### Hawaiian Breakfast

■ **SEWART AFB, TENN.** Hawaii in Tennessee was the theme of an unusual breakfast at the Officers Club, 12 Nov. The 314th Troop Carrier Wing Officers' Wives Club gathered for the Hawaiian breakfast which was complete with island dress, Hawaiian table decor and a menu featuring Inu Lama, Teriyaki, Laiki, Luokaka, Kope and Palaoa. In stateside language the menu featured pineapple juice, steak and rice, eggs, coffee and bread. Highlight of the breakfast was Mrs. Ingy Tibbett's interpretation of the Hawaiian dance, to the accompaniment of the familiar aloha with Mrs. Dolly Smelsey furnishing guitar music. Mrs. Helen Hippler and Mrs. Ruth Hartley served as hostesses for the breakfast while the guest of honor, Mrs. Betty McNickle, wife of Sewart's Commander, sat at the head of the table.

### Pearl Day At FEC

■ **TOKYO, JAPAN.** The Far East Command Women's Club, with Mrs. Myron B. Tauer presiding, met at the Officers' Open Mess on 18 Nov., for its second luncheon of the season. Cocktails, served in the Bamboo Room, preceded the luncheon after which K. Mikimoto, Inc. of the Ginza presented the

group with a program on pearls. A color film on the Mikimoto Pearl Farm followed a most informative lecture by Mr. T. Fukuhara dealing with the origin, assessment and care of culture pearls. Examples of different types and qualities of pearls were also on display.

The pearl motif was stressed throughout with attractively hand-painted place cards and single pearls in oyster shells at every place. Those fortunate enough to have a black pearl won the unusual table centerpiece of giant conch shells overflowing with autumn foliage and berries silvered to resemble pearls.

The Engineer and the AG wives of the Far East Command acted as hostesses with Mrs. H. E. Sprague and Mrs. C. W. Nelson as co-chairmen. Other members of this most successful hostess committee included the Mesdames A. L. Terry, F. M. Knezovich, A. S. Bartholomew, J. G. McNell, R. W. Bowden, H. J. Stark, W. M. Schummers and R. G. Todd.

### Mah Jong Party

■ **KELLEY AFB, TEX.** "Velly amusing, velly confusing—hon'able Chinese game of Mah Jong," were the introductory remarks of Mrs. William A. Hines in the skit which she wrote, directed, and starred in at the friendship coffee, given recently by the Officers' Wives Club. The coffee was sponsored by the Mah Jong group, whose chairman is Mrs. Theodore W. Swain.

Mrs. Hines, disguised as a Chinese mandarin, and reading in pidgin English from an ancient scroll, welcomed the newcomers to the Base, in whose honor the coffee was given, and then explained the game played by the Mah Jong group every Thursday. As she described each tile used in the game, a member of the group appeared, costumed to represent the piece. The last one to appear was Mrs. E. L. Cote, dressed as Hop Toi, the good luck word often spoken in the course of the game.

All members of the Mah Jong group were dressed in Chinese costumes. The table was centered by an Oriental arrangement of colorful flowers, and Chinese tea, coffee, egg rolls and almond cakes were served.

Mrs. Bill Richardson was chairman of arrangement for the party, and Mrs. Ray L. Anderson was in charge of the food. About 125 guests attended.

### RAdm. & Mrs. Boone Entertain

■ **ANNAPOLIS, MD.** RAdm. and Mrs. Walter F. Boone, had as their guests over Thanksgiving, RAdm. and Mrs. W. G. Switzer, RAdm. and Mrs. J. B. Pearson and RAdm. and Mrs. G. W. Anderson, Admiral and Mrs. Boone and their guests attended the Army and Navy football game.

Preceding the Thanksgiving Hop the Boones entertained at dinner for the members of the Midshipmen's Hop committee and their young ladies. Mrs. Boone received at the Hop with Midshipman Corsier.

Mrs. Joseph W. Vallant has returned from Norfolk after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her grandsons and their wives, Ens. and Mrs. Edmund B. Taylor, Ens. and Mrs. Gordon Dunn, and Lt. and Mrs. Chas. C. Dunn, Jr.

RAdm. and Mrs. Bernard L. Austin of Wardour entertained last week in honor of Capt. and Mrs. G. W. Patterson, Jr., with their daughter, Miss Susan Patterson, Miss Leith Austin, a senior at Hollins College, Va., was home for the week-end.

Cdr. and Mrs. George D. Hilding who have made their home at Wardour, left last week to attend the Army and Navy game, and from there planned to spend the winter in Florida or on the West Coast. Their daughter, Mrs. Hilding Hall and her son, John Thomas are occupying their new home on Old Annapolis Boulevard.

### Gen. Holbrook Visits Campus

■ **PHILADELPHIA, PA.** Maj. Gen. Frank C. Holbrook, USA, Commanding General of the Quartermaster Command, Ft. Lee, Va., recently visited the University of Pennsylvania and met Dr. Gaylord P. Harnwell, President. They discussed the relationship and future cooperation between the Army ROTC and the University, then toured the University campus.

General Holbrook also reviewed the facilities of the ROTC unit at Wayne Hall and attended several of the classes of the Quartermaster Branch. After these classes the General discussed with the cadets their experiences at the recent Summer Camp at Fort Lee.

### WMSC Officers Attend WAC C

Majors Kathryn Maurice and Alene V. Ness and Capt. Frances J. Johnson are the first Women's Medical Specialist Corps officers selected to attend the 20-week WAC officer advanced course at Ft. McClellan, Ala. They will report for the class beginning 12 Jan. 1955.

This course has been devised to provide advanced training in Army organization, administration and operation appropriate.

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## NEW FMF ARTILLERY BN. ACTIVATED

■ **CAMP LEJEUNE, N. C.** A "Fleet Marine Force Type" artillery battalion has been added to the structure of Lejeune's Marine Corps Base command with the activation of first units of the 2d 155mm Howitzer Battalion.

The new battalion will be billeted at Camp Geiger, home of Force Troops, Atlantic, and will be trained as a unit.

Capt. James H. James, USMC, is serving as interim commanding officer of the battalion until the arrival of Lt. Col. Kenneth C. Houston, USMC, next February, at which time the captain will assume duties as battalion adjutant.

Maj. Herbert A. Robinson, USMC, will be battalion executive officer and M/Sgt. William E. Fales, USMC, has been named as battalion sergeant-major.

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THE annual competitive examination for appointments to cadetship in the United States Coast Guard will be conducted 28 February and 1 March 1955 in more than 100 cities in the United States and abroad. Successful applicants will attend the Coast Guard Academy, New London, Connecticut.

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All applicants, enlisted and civilian, compete equally for appointment. Appointments are made on the basis of the annual examination and evaluated general adaptability. There are no Congressional appointments or geographical quotas.

Applicants for the 1955 examination must submit application papers by 15 January and must have reached their seventeenth but not their twenty-second birthday by 1 July 1955. Candidates must pass a rigid physical examination. In addition to a high school diploma from an accredited high school, candidates must have completed the following high school courses or their equivalent: three years of English, two years of algebra, one year of plane geometry, and one year of physics.

Application forms and an information booklet can be obtained by writing the Commandant (PTP), U. S. Coast Guard, Washington 25, D. C.

### New Register Features

The new "Register of the Commissioned and Warrant Officers and Cadets of the United States Coast Guard" has been considerably improved.

Recently issued, the 1 July edition contains a completely new section which gives the names of all officers who were separated from the service during 1953 and 1954. In addition, the Register now contains a six-digit Designator Code, with explanatory notes, designed "to assist in refining identification and to provide a more efficient method of machine counting. Its inclusion in the Register is to provide information of general interest."

The preface to this new section states that officers whose designators do not appear to be consistent with their quali-

fications, should so advise the Commandant so that the proper corrections can be made.

A pay table and Edge index are also new features.

### Publish CWO Lists

Coast Guard Headquarters has published eligibility lists for advancements to Chief Petty Officers. The lists, contained in Personnel Circular No. 29-54, give the names of those eligible for promotion to the following ratings: Chief Boatswain's Mate, Chief Fire Control Technician, Chief Aviation Machinist's Mate, Chief Commissaryman and Chief Steward. All advancements will be provisional.

### ASSIGNMENT CHANGES

#### Captain

Miller, George H., CGGRU, Charleston, SC, to CGBASE, Charleston, SC (CO). Colateral duties as CDR, CGGRU, and COTP, Charleston, SC.

#### Commander

Wildhack, John H. (R), MIO, New York, NY, to MIO, Jacksonville, Fla.

#### Lt Commander

Brummeler, Edwin J., Desig CO, PERSEUS, Hellman, Paul B., CGBASE, Charleston, SC (CO), to CGBASE, Charleston, SC (XO).

#### Lieutenant

Erickson, Carl, PSU, Alameda, Calif., to CGDEP, Yerba Buena Island, Calif. (TEM made perm).

Evgrafoff, Michael I., CGDEP, Yerba Buena Island, Calif., to WILLOW (TEM made perm).

Kincaide, William G., SUNDEW, to MAPLE (CO).

#### Lieutenant (jg)

DuPeza, Jules B., Desig (XO), PERSEUS, Feuer, Stanley B. (R), MACKINAC, to CGD THREE (TEM made perm).

Moss, Robert A., Desig (XO), SEDGE.

#### Ensign

Atkinson, Edward G. (R), CGDONE, to ACUSHNET (TEM made perm).

Boucher, William F., SORREL, to SWEET-BRIER (TEM made perm).

Fitzgerald, Harvie W. (R), NETTLE, to IRONWOOD (TEM made perm).

Fitzgerald, John J. (R), BLACKTHORN, to CGDEIGHT (controller duties; TEM made perm).

Foradori, George T. (R), CHEROKEE, to CGGRU, Norfolk, Va. (TEM made perm).

Johnson, Roger S. (R), Academy, to NORTH-WIND amended to KLAMATH.

#### Warrant Officer

Boak, Carl S., CGBASE, New Orleans, La., to CGGRU, Sabine, Tex.

Edwards, Joseph D., CGDSEVEN, to CGDEP, St. Petersburg, Fla.

Wilson, Ulmer C., SEDGE, to CGBASE, New Orleans, La.

Casey, Harry, EWING, to CGBASE, Alameda, Calif. (Engr.).

Lietzke, Leo P., CITRUS, to HOLLYHOCK (EO).

Lockhart, James W., CGBASE, Alameda, Calif., to CITRUS (EO).

Cotton, Henry L., CGDEP, South Portland, Me., to CGRADSTA, Jacksonville, Fla. (CO).

Dollinger, Benjamin, CGRADSTA, Jacksonville, Fla., to CGRADSTA, San Bruno, Calif. (CO).

Mead, James T., CGSUPCEN, Jersey City, NJ., to CGRADSTA, Point Vicente, Calif. (CO).

Sadler, Robert E., CGBASE, Miami, Fla., to AR&SB, Elizabeth City, NC (Engr.).

Campagna, Frank W., SMILAX, to BRAMBLE (TEM made perm).

Lewis, Clement V., GOLDENROD, to BITTERSWEET.

Avila, James P., WAL-510, to DUANE (Engr.).

Weadon, George F., CGTRASTA, Groton, Conn., to CGRADSTA, Richmond, Fla. (OinC).

Pappas, George T., CGDTHREE, to CGSUPCEN, Jersey City, NJ.



## Admiral Clark, Ret., Joins Radio Receptor Co.

Appointment of Admiral J. J. ("Jocko") Clark, USN-Ret., as a vice president of the Radio Receptor Company, Inc., is announced by Ludwig Arnson, president, at Brooklyn, N. Y.

Admiral Clark in March 1952 was designated Commander First Fleet in the rank of Vice Admiral, and on 20 May 1952 transferred to command of the Seventh Fleet. On his retirement from the Navy he was made a full admiral.

## Col. Campbell Retires

Col. James D. Campbell, USA, Senior Advisor for the 77th (Statue of Liberty) Division, Army Reserve, retired 30 Nov. after 27 years as a commissioned officer.

Upon his retirement, Colonel Campbell will return to his native town of Glenside, Penna., where, with his wife, Ruth, he will reside at 426 Linden Avenue.

## M/Sgt. Miller Ends Service

■ **FT. SLOCUM, N. Y.** M/Sgt. Harold Miller, 48, USA, has retired after 30 years' service. Sergeant Miller entered the Army in 1924 and was appointed a Warrant Officer in June 1944. He reverted to his present rank in May 1947.

Sergeant Miller and his wife, Amy, will live at 1011 Cain rd., Fayetteville, N. C.

## Retire at First Army

■ **GOVERNORS ISLAND, N. Y.** Three First Army officers recently reviewed one of the last retreat parades of the season on the eve of their retirement.

They are Col. Charles A. Worthington, Deputy Adjutant General of the First Army, retiring with more than 30 years of service; Col. James D. Campbell II, Senior Unit Advisor of the 77th Infantry Division, Army Reserve Advisory Group, with more than 21 years' service, and Lt. Col. William W. Hornung, First Army Inspector General Section, a veteran of 35 years' service.

## Gen. Eichelberger Speaks On Far East Problems

General Robert L. Eichelberger, USA-Ret., was the honored guest and speaker at a testimonial-Thanksgiving dinner held in the Central Methodist Church of Asheville, on Thanksgiving Eve, 24 Nov. The General spoke on the current world situation, and particularly on United States problems in the Far East. The speaker was introduced by Brig. Gen. William A. McCulloch, USA-Ret.

Among the 250 guests attending the dinner, the Army was represented by the following retired service families residing in Asheville:

General and Mrs. Eichelberger, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. John B. Wogan, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Arthur A. White, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. William A. McCulloch, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. William T. Fitts and their son Robert, Col. and Mrs. Lowell B. Wright, Mrs. Haney, the wife of Col. Lee W. Haney; Lt. Col. and Mrs. Orsen E. Paxton; the Navy was represented by Lt. and Mrs. Boyce L. Brannon, while the active Air Force Medical Service had a representative in the person of 1st Lt. Embree H. Blackard, son of Dr. Embree H. Blackard, pastor of Central Church.

## CWO Renak Given Review

Chief Warrant Officer Edward T. Renak, Post Adjutant of Ft. Tilden, N. Y., was retired from the Army on 30 Nov. after more than 35 years' service.

His retirement was marked with full military honors at a review in his honor at Ft. Tilden parade ground where he was presented with a Letter of Achievement from the Commanding General, First Army.

Retirement plans for CWO Renak and Mrs. Renak include a long one-year vacation of travel and fishing which is the main hobby of both. They will reside at 225-29-106th Ave., Queens Village, Long Island, N. Y., their home since March 1927.

## Maj. Gen. Lanham Named P.R. Firm Pres., Will Be Succeeded By Maj. Gen. Garvin

Maj. Gen. C. T. "Buck" Lanham, USA, 52, will retire at his own request on 31 Dec., the day before he assumes a new position as president of Market Relations Network, Inc., a New York public relations and research firm.

General Lanham, USMA '24, will be succeeded as Deputy Commandant of the Armed Forces Staff College at Norfolk, Va., by Maj. Gen. Crump Garvin, USA, 56, on 1 Dec., who was graduated from the U. S. Military Academy in 1920.

Commander of the 1st Infantry Division in Germany before his assignment

to Norfolk in June, General Lanham earlier had been chief of public information at SHAPE under General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower and General Matthew B. Ridgway, USA, from early 1951 until January 1953.

General Garvin, chief of the logistics division at SHAPE since February 1953, served as head of the 2d Logistical Command in Korea during the early months of the fighting there and commanded the 301st Logistical Command at Camp Rucker, Ala., before assignment to European Command headquarters in January 1952.

## Gen. Lawton Joins Firm, Replaces Admiral Blandly

Maj. Gen. Kirke B. Lawton, USA-Ret., has been elected a director of The Gray Manufacturing Company, producers of Audograph Soundwriter dictation equipment, PhonAudograph central dictation systems and specialized electronic communications devices. It is announced by Walter E. Ditmars, President.

He fills the vacancy on the Board of Directors created by the death earlier this year of Admiral William H. P. Blandly, USN-Ret.

## Budget Will Include Military Pay Raise (Continued from First Page)

believes a minimum raise of 10.5 per cent will be justified for military personnel.

Although Mr. Wilson indicated that funds for the pay raise would be included in the budget request, it is not likely that the Appropriations Committees would take action until the matter is considered by the Armed Services Committee.

In the House, Representative Carl Vinson (D-Ga.), who will be Armed Services Committee Chairman in the 84th Congress, will designate a subcommittee headed by Mr. Kilday to look into a military pay raise.

It is to be noted, however, that Mr. Wilson suggests that some military pay boosts would be higher than 5 per cent. The Pentagon plan calls for "weighted" increases to assure retention of skilled personnel.

"Most of us," said Secretary Wilson, "feel that the big place where we need some more compensation is technicians and the people that make the military work their career."

He told newsmen that "we are anxious to make military careers more attractive and get the right kind of people. It's not only a question of numbers in the military service. It's a question of quality and organization, spirit and morale."

"We want the military people all to think they are being treated right as compared to the civilians," the Secretary said.

## ROA Elections

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the Board of Directors for four-year terms expiring in 1958. They are: Gen. Carl Spaatz, USAF-Ret.; VADM. Paul F. Foster, USNR-Ret.; Brig. Gen. Charles D. Roberts, USA Ret.; RADM. Charles E. Coney, USN-Ret.; Brig. Gen. Aaron E. Jones, USAF, Ret.; Col. Lemuel Bolles, Hon. Res. USA-Ret.; Capt. Frank S. Borden, USC&GS-Ret.; Capt. Miles P. Duval, USN-Ret.; Cdr. F. A. Hunnewell, USCG-Ret.; LCDR. Helen M. D'Andalet Carper, NC, USNR-Ret.; and LCDR. Florence T. Judge, USNR-Ret.

Seven others were newly-elected as members of the Board of Directors for four-year terms also expiring in 1958. They are: Lt. Gen. Idwal H. Edwards, USAF-Ret.; Maj. Gen. Luther D. Miller, USA-Ret.; RADM. Earl G. Rose, USCG-Ret.; RADM. Charles S. Stephenson (MC), USN-Ret.; Brig. Gen. Merritt B. Curtis, USMC-Ret.; Brig. Gen. Robert H. Dunlop, USA-Ret. (for two years); and Col. Justice M. Chambers, USMCR-Ret.

## Lt. Gen. Burress Honored By 69th on Retirement

Approximately 25,000 troops of the 69th Infantry Division and supporting units, massing in one of the greatest military reviews in the history of Ft. Dix, N. J., bade farewell 23 Nov. to Lt. Gen. W. A. Burress, First Army commander, who retires at the month's end after nearly 40 years of distinguished military service.

A 15-gun salvo saluted the arrival of General Burress and the program was closed with the strains of "Auld Lang Syne."

Troops participating included the 69th Division and 173d Army Bands, the 271st, 272d, 273d, 364th, and 365th Infantry Training Regiments with their attached components, the 69th Division Artillery, Division Colors and Honor Guard, the 716th Military Police Battalion, and the Provisional Regiment of the 1262d Area Service Unit.

On the reviewing stand with General Burress was Maj. Gen. C. E. Ryan, division and post commander. A luncheon in honor of General Burress was held following the massive review.

General Burress, a native of Richmond, Va., was graduated from Virginia Military Institute in 1914 and was commissioned in the Regular Army two years later. He served in France with the 2d Division during World War I, participating in three battle campaigns.

For the next 24 years, General Burress attended and instructed at various military schools throughout the United States. In September 1942 he was appointed commander of the 100th Infantry Division which he activated and trained at Ft. Jackson, S. C. He moved with it to the European Theater in October 1944 where, under his command, it was in continuous combat from 1 Nov. 1944 until V-E Day.

After World War II, General Burress served in various capacities in both Europe and the United States. In October 1952 he began his present assignment as First Army commander, with headquarters at Governors Island, N. Y.

General Burress' decorations include the Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star, Legion of Merit, Bronze Star with Oak Leaf Cluster, Army Commendation Ribbon, La Solidaridad Medal (Panama), Legion of Honor (France), Croix de Guerre (France), War Cross (Czechoslovakia), and Order of White Lion (Czechoslovakia).

Following his departure from Governors Island, General Burress visited Washington, D. C., and Richmond, Va. After a speaking engagement at Columbus, Ga., he and Mrs. Burress will spend the Christmas holidays with their daughter and son-in-law, Col. and Mrs. Welborn G. Dolvin, and two grandchildren at Ft. Knox, Ky.

## CWO John Thomas Retires

After 33 years' service, CWO John W. Thomas, USA, retired at Ft. Monroe, Va., on 30 Nov. He had been director of the 50th Army Band there since May 1951.

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Lt. Gen. Burress

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## Born

**ABERNATHY**—Born at Ft Ord, Calif, 12 Nov, to Lt and Mrs William F Abernathy, USN, a daughter Joan Louise.

**ABLE**—Born at Ft Leavenworth, Kans, 15 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs William A Able, jr, a daughter, Amy Jean.

**APPEL**—Born at Valley Forge AH, Phoenixville, Pa, 14 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Edward J Appel, a son, Edward J, jr, grandson of Maj Gen and Mrs E A Pollock, USMC, Parris Island, SC, and of Mr and Mrs Edward S Appel, of Maple Gardens, Pottstown, Pa.

**ARCHBOLD**—Born at Ft Dix, NJ, 19 Nov, to Capt and Mrs William Archbold, a daughter, Beth.

**BAKER**—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 19 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Richard K Baker, twin daughters Theresa Stansell and Margaret Stephenson.

**BALENT** — Born at the Ryukyus AH, Ft Buckner, Okinawa, 17 Oct, to Capt and Mrs Louis L Balent, a daughter, Nancy Claire.

**BARFIELD**—Born at Ft Ord, Calif, 14 Nov, to Lt and Mrs Edward H Barfield, a son.

**BENNETT**—Born at Reese AFB, Tex, 18 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Allen Bennett, jr, a daughter, Donna Lynn.

**BERTINGLI**—Born recently at Ft Knox, Ky, to CWO and Mrs Rudolph Bertingli, a daughter.

**BODINE**—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 24 Nov, to Lt Col and Mrs Francis Stephen Bodine, a son.

**BOHON**—Born at Ft Dix, NJ, 21 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs John Bohon, a daughter, Sally Katherine.

**BOWDEN**—Born at Quantico, Va, 3 Nov, to Lt and Mrs Daniel Bowden, a daughter, Linda Gayle.

**BRANCH**—Born at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 18 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs William E Branch, a daughter.

**BREHM**—Born at Reese AFB, Tex, 19 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Fred E Brehm, a son, Allan James.

**BREZINA**—Born at Madigan AH, Tacoma, Wash, 19 Nov, to CWO and Mrs Eddie B Brezina, a daughter.

**BRITTON** — Born at West Point, NY, 20 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Robert S Britton, a son, Robert Kevin.

**BROOKS**—Born at Bainbridge, Md, 9 Nov, to Lt and Mrs Thomas J Brooks, a daughter, Melinda Anne.

**CAGLE**—Born at Lackland AFB, Tex, 13 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs James D Cagle, a daughter.

**CAIN**—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 22 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Lloyd Rondall Cain, a daughter.

**CALKINS**—Born at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 18 Nov, to Maj and Mrs Delos S Calkins, a son.

**CARDINAL**—Born at Ft Meade, Md, 20 Nov, to CWO and Mrs Eugene Cardinal, a son.

**CARDINALI**—Born at Madigan AH, Tacoma, Wash, 19 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Guy F Cardinali, a son.

**CHAMBLIN**—Born at Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 21 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Stuart A Chamblin, jr, a daughter, Patricia Diane.

**CHAPMAN**—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 10 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Donald H Chapman, a daughter, Joanne Linda.

**CLAUSE**—Born at Ft Meade, Md, 23 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Richard X Clause, a daughter.

**CRANSTON**—Born at Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 19 Nov, to Maj and Mrs Robert W Cranston, a daughter, Caren Elizabeth.

**CRIPPS**—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 24 Nov, to Maj and Mrs George Washington Cripps, a son.

**CROSS**—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 20 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Eldon D Cross, a son, Eldon Dwight, jr.

**CRUMBLEY**—Born at Quantico, Va, 19 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Walter Crumbley, son, Walter Sidney.

**CRUTCHFIELD** — Born at Lackland AFB, Tex, 14 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Don F Crutchfield, a son.

**DAVIS**—Born at Ft Jackson, SC, 19 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Sidney P Davis, a son.

**DAY**—Born recently at Ft Knox, Ky, to Lt and Mrs Charles F Day, a son.

**DEAGAN**—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 20 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Robert M Deagan, a daughter, Linda Ann.

**DEANE**—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 21 Nov, to Lt Col and Mrs John Breed Deane, a son.

**DEARMOND**—Born at Ft Jackson, SC, 22 Nov, to Maj and Mrs Joe Dearmond, a son.

**DEMAREZ**—Born at Quantico, Va, 22 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Ralph Demarez, a son, Peter Scull.

**DIEHL**—Born at Ft Ord, Calif, 12 Nov, to Lt and Mrs William F Diehl, USN, a son, John Joseph.

**DI SIMONE**—Born at Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 12 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Frank B Di Simone, a daughter, Camille.

**DOWNS** — Born at Madigan AH, Tacoma, Wash, 18 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Albert Downs, a daughter.

**DRISCOLL**—Born at Quantico, Va, 26 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs James Driscoll, a daughter.

**DUKE**—Born at Ft Dix, NJ, 16 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Paul Duke, a son, Paul Robert, jr.

**DUKE**—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 11 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Roger C Duke, a daughter, Kathleen Anne.

**EINWECHTER**—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 11 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Augustus T Einwechter, a daughter, Selena Marie.

**ELDER**—Born at Quantico, Va, 24 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Thomas Elder, a daughter, Julia Anne.

**EPPINGER**—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 12 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Ira C Eppinger, a daughter, Carol Anne.

**FAVINGER**—Born recently at Ft Knox, Ky, to Capt and Mrs Bob Favinger, a daughter.

**FISHER**—Born recently at Ft Knox, Ky, to Capt and Mrs Robert W Fisher, a son.

**FITCHETT**—Born at Keesler AFB, Miss, 11 Nov, to A/2C and Mrs Robert Carlisle Fitchett, a son, Robert Carlisle, jr.

**FLADMARK** — Born at Ft Leavenworth, Kans, 5 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Oscar R Fladmark, a daughter, Vicki Lynn.

**FORD**—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 14 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Clarence W Ford, a daughter, Suzanne Kay.

**FRIEDMAN**—Born at Lackland AFB, Tex, 16 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Bernard K Friedman, a daughter.

**FRIEDMAN**—Born at Ft Monmouth, NJ, 18 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Paul H Friedman, a son.

**FULTZ**—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 20 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Forest Gray Fultz, a son.

**GALVIN**—Born at Quantico, Va, 15 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Donald W Galvin, a son, Richard Clarke.

**GATLEY** — Born at the Ryukyus AH, Ft Buckner, Okinawa, 10 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Edward J Gatley, a daughter, Valeria Ann.

**GEEHAN**—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 21 Nov, to Maj and Mrs Bernard Thomas Geehan, a son.

**GERST**—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 19 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Wilbur Lafayette Gerst, a daughter.

**GIBSON**—Born at Quantico, Va, 16 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Gerald Gibson, a son, George Williams.

**GRANGER**—Born at Quantico, Va, 18 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Charles Granger, a daughter, Dorothy Jean.

**GRIDLEY**—Born at Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio, 22 Nov, to Lt and Mrs Craig Gridley, a daughter, Pamela West.

**GRUNE**—Born at Quantico, Va, 16 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Harold Grune, a daughter, Katherine Mary.

**HAGEMAN**—Born at Ogden, Utah, 18 Nov, to Lt and Mrs Alger E Hageman, a son, John Michael.

**HART**—Born recently at Ft Knox, Ky, to CWO and Mrs Earl E Hart, a daughter.

**HAUSMAN**—Born at West Point, NY, 23 Nov, to Maj and Mrs William Hausman, a son, Peter Douglas.

**HEINEKE**—Born in Germany, 27 Nov, to Lt and Mrs Hilton E Heineke, jr, a second son, William Marrinan, grandson of Col (USA-Ret) and Mrs Hilton E Heineke, of Vincennes, Ind, and nephew of Lt Richard R Heineke, Armor.

**HERSHEY**—Born at Ft Leavenworth, Kans, 1 Nov, to Lt Col and Mrs Lyle E Hershey, a son, Robert Thomas.

**HERTZOG**—Born at Ft Leavenworth, Kans, 2 Nov, to Maj and Mrs Jack M Hertzog, a son, Jon Russell.

**HIETT**—Born at Ft Ord, Calif, 16 Nov, to Maj and Mrs Joseph C Hiett, a daughter, Patricia Anne.

**HILLIARD**—Born at Tokyo, Japan, 4 Nov, to Maj and Mrs Olen Hilliard, a son, Olen Mark.

**HOLDEN**—Born at Ft Ord, Calif, 16 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Gerald M Holden, a daughter, Cheryl Lenee.

**HOUSE**—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 12 Nov, to M/Sgt and Mrs Murry J House, a son, Gerald James.

**HOUSMAN**—Born at Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 15 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Clifford A Housman, a daughter, Constance Leigh.

**HOWELL** — Born at Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 20 Nov, to Maj and Mrs Louis G Howell, a daughter, Wanda Katharine.

**HUDSON**—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 12 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Samuel R Hudson, a son, John Rice.

**HUMES**—Born at Ft Meade, Md, 20 Nov, to Lt and Mrs Richard Humes, a son.

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## Births • Marriages • Deaths

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**IRIGOYEN**—Born at Madigan AH, Tacoma, Wash, 24 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Mario A Irigoyen, a daughter.

**JANEGA**—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 15 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Victor A Janega, a daughter, Rebecca Jean.

**JANUARY**—Born at Lackland AFB, Tex, 15 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Donald R January, a son.

**JOHNSON**—Born recently at Ft Knox, Ky, to WOJG and Mrs Allen M Johnson, a son.

**JOHNSTON**—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 16 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs John C Johnston, a daughter, Vicki Lynn.

**JOHNSTON**—Born at Ft Ord, Calif, 18 Nov, to Lt and Mrs Johnny Johnston, a son.

**JONES**—Born at Bainbridge, Md, 3 Nov, to Lt and Mrs Ira Jones, a daughter, Dorothy Agnes.

**JONES**—Born at Quantico, Va, 27 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Robert C Jones, a son, Gary Martin.

**JORDAN**—Born at Quantico, Va, 29 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Raymond Jordan, a son.

**KACKLEY**—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 21 Nov, to Maj and Mrs Roy Lambert Kackley, a daughter.

**KEARNEY** — Born at Bluefield, W Va, 15 Nov, to Lt Col and Mrs Lester A Kearney, a daughter.

**KELLEY**—Born at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 24 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Paul A Kelley, a daughter.

**KELLY**—Born at Ft Meade, Md, 19 Nov, to Lt and Mrs Edward Kelly, a son.

**LAWSON**—Born at Tokyo, Japan, 30 Oct, to 1st Lt and Mrs James C Lawson, a son, James Christopher, jr.

**LEVARDESEN** — Born at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 26 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Richard W Levarlesen, a son.

**LEWIS**—Born at West Point, NY, 22 Nov, to Maj and Mrs Sherman Lewis, a son, Daniel Phillip.

**LIPPINCOTT** — Born at Ft Leavenworth, Kans, 18 Nov, to Lt Col and Mrs Clifford E Lippincott, a daughter, Kristen Clarke.

**LITTLE**—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 19 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Stanley R Little, a son, Stephen Ross.

**LOGAN**—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 20 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Harvey B Logan, a son.

**LONGBOTHAM**—Born at Tokyo, Japan, 3 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Ralph M Longbotham, jr, a daughter, Lael G.

**LOVELACE**—Born at Ft Sill, Okla, 22 Nov, to Lt and Mrs S T Lovelace, a son.

**MAY**—Born at Valley Forge AH, Phoenixville, Pa, 24 Nov, to Maj and Mrs Stephen May, a son.

**MCCHESNEY**—Born at Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 20 Nov, to Maj and Mrs. Don R. McChesney, a son, Don Ramon, III.

**MCCORMICK**—Born at Ft Monmouth, NJ, 16 Nov, to Capt and Mrs William F. McCormick, a daughter.

**McFARLAND** — Born at Offutt AFB, Nebr, 8 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs David G McFarland, a son, William Douglas.

**McFARLANE**—Born at Lackland AFB, Tex, 14 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Albert J McFarlane, a daughter.

**McKINNEY**—Born at Ft Meade, Md, 12 Nov, to Maj and Mrs James C McKinney, a daughter.

**MIRMINA**—Born at Keesler AFB, Miss, 4 Nov, to A/1C and Mrs Paul A Mirmina, a son, Francis Emile.

**MISTROT**—Born at Vance AFB, Okla, 16 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Ralph W Mistrot, a son, Thomas Russell.

**MONTGOMERY**—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 20 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Robert Alexander Montgomery, a son.

**MOYER**—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 12 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Stanley E Moyer, a son, Thomas Alan.

**MUNOZ-MARTINI**—Born at Rodriguez AH, Ft Brooke, PR, 17 Nov, to Lt and Mrs Luis Munoz-Martini, a daughter, Rosa Maria.

**MURPHY**—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 12 Nov, to M/Sgt and Mrs Lester S Murphy, a son, Patrick Stanley.

**MURRAY**—Born at Offutt AFB, Nebr, 10 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs John V Murray, a daughter, Patricia Lee.

**MUSGRAVE** — Born at Ft Leavenworth, Kans, 1 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Emmett N Musgrave, a son, Mark Nicholas.

**MUSGRAVE**—Born at Ft Monmouth, NJ, 16 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Thomas C Musgrave, a son.

**MYLES**—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 15 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Robert D. Myles, a daughter.

**NELSON**—Born at Ft Ord, Calif, 18 Nov, to Lt and Mrs Walter G Nelson, a son, Michael Dennis.

**NORRIS**—Born at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 24 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Paul M Norris, a son.

**NOVELLO**—Born at Bainbridge, Md, 6 Nov, to Lt(jg) and Mrs Rudolph Novello, a son, Robert Joseph.

**O'BRIEN**—Born at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 22 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Edward J O'Brien, a daughter.

**O'CONNELL**—Born at Quantico, Va, 15 Nov, to Capt and Mrs James O'Connell, a son, Steven Henry.

**OLYNICK** — Born at the Ryukyus AH, Ft Buckner, Okinawa, 10 Nov, to WOJG and Mrs Milton Olynick, a son, Robert William.

**OSWALT**—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 20 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs James Martin Oswalt, a son.

**PARKER**—Born at Osaka, Honshu, Japan, 16 Nov, to SFC and Mrs Paul Parker, a son, Robert E.

**PARRISH**—Born at Ft Meade, Md, 19 Nov, to Lt and Mrs James Parrish, a son.

**PELTE**—Born at Ft Meade, Md, 14 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Gail A Pelte, a daughter.

**PEPE**—Born recently at Ft Knox, Ky, to 2d Lt and Mrs Frank Pepe, a son.

**PRATT**—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 21 Nov, to Cdr and Mrs Richard Thomas Pratt, a daughter.

**PRIDGEN**—Born at Quantico, Va, 16 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Edmond Pridgen, a daughter, Pamela Reese.

**PROPHET**—Born at Ft Sill, Okla, 16 Nov, to Lt and Mrs M Prophet, a son.

**RALL**—Born at Quantico, Va, 22 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Raymond Rall, a son, Raymond Robert, III.

**RANKIN**—Born at Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 15 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Rossie Rankin, a daughter, Susan Diana.

**RATAIN**—Born at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 23 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Howard I Ratain, a son.

**READ**—Born at Lawton, Okla, 21 Nov, to Capt (USMC) and Mrs Brooke F Read, jr, a daughter, Anne Oakley, granddaughter of Mr and Mrs B F Read, of Lakeland, Fla, and of Lt Col (USMC) and Mrs Walter H Oakley, Jr, of Hertford, NC.

**REEDER**—Born at Ft Meade, Md, 13 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs James Reeder, a daughter.

**RIDDLE**—Born recently at Ft Knox, Ky, to Lt and Mrs John J Riddle, a daughter.

**RINEARSON** — Born recently at Ft Knox, Ky, to Capt and Mrs Abram V Rinearson, a daughter.

**RODGERS**—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 11 Nov, to T/Sgt and Mrs Charles E Rodgers, a son, Charles Eugene.

**ROESSER**—Born at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 21 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Joseph C Roesser, a son.

**ROHLES**—Born at Ft Riley, Kans, 17 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Antonio C Rohles, a daughter, Yvonne.

**ROHRMANN**—Born at Ft Monmouth, NJ, to WOJG and Mrs Charles P Rohrmann, a daughter.

**ROSE**—Born at Lackland AFB, Tex, 11 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Gilbert J Rose, a daughter.

**SASS**—Born at Ft Monmouth, NJ, 21 Nov, to Lt(jg) and Mrs Arthur H Sass, a daughter.

**SCHAUDRA** — Born at Kaiser Foundation Hosp, San Francisco, 18 Nov, to Mr and Mrs. Geo Schaudra, their 3d child, a son, Mark David, grandson of Capt (USA-Ret) and Mrs Peter L Quillan, of Watsonville, Calif, and of Mr and Mrs August Schaudra, of Watsonville.

**SCHIFFER**—Born at Quantico, Va, 24 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Herbert Schiffer, a daughter, Katherine Therese.

**SCOTT**—Born at Arkadelphia, Ark, 7 Nov, to Maj and Mrs Samuel B Scott, jr, a son, Weston Price.

**SHAW**—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 10 Nov, to Capt and Mrs James W Shaw, a son, Steve Howard.

**SHERMAN**—Born recently at Ft Knox, Ky, to 2d Lt and Mrs Wayne J Sherman, a daughter.

**SHIELDS**—Born at Ft Sill, Okla, 19 Nov, to Lt and Mrs R Shields, a son.

**SIHLER**—Born at Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 21 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Edward A Sihler, a daughter, Nina.

**SIMMONS**—Born at Lackland AFB, Tex, 11 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Walter B Simmons, a son.

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## Births

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**SIMPSON**—Born at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 21 Nov, to Col and Mrs Harold R Simpson, a daughter.

**SLATTERY**—Born at Quantico, Va, 16 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Edward Slattery, a son Kevin Dennis.

**SMITH**—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 15 Nov, to Lt and Mrs David M Smith, a son, Bruce.

**STAFFORD**—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 19 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Leland Stafford, a daughter, Janis Lee.

**STENGER**—Born at Ft Monmouth, NJ, 22 Nov, to Maj and Mrs Robert Stenger, a son.

**STEPHAN**—Born at Lackland AFB, Tex, to 2d Lt and Mrs Paul A Stephan, a daughter.

**STEVENS**—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 20 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Warren Walter Stevens, a son.

**STOW**—Born at Ft Dix, NJ, 22 Nov, to Maj and Mrs Kenneth Stow, a son, Stuart Crandall.

**STRICKLAND**—Born at Lackland AFB, Tex, 13 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs William A Strickland, a daughter.

**SUITS**—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 25 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Harlan Eugene Suits, a daughter.

**SUTTON**—Born at Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 22 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Willis L Sutton, a son, Mark Layne.

**TESTIE**—Born at Ft Meade, Md, 15 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Eolo Testie, a son.

**TOEDT**—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 17 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Dell C Toedt, jr, a son, Dell Charles, III.

**TOLAND**—Born at Keesler AFB, Miss, 2 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Melvin E Toland, twin sons, Fred Carl and Frank Joseph.

**TOLBERT**—Born at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 23 Nov, to Lt Col and Mrs Samuel H Tolbert, a son.

**VAN HOY**—Born at Madigan AH, Tacoma, Wash, 17 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Anderson C Van Hoy, a son.

**VAN VOLKENBURG**—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 17 Nov, to Col and Mrs Robert H Van Volkenburg, a son, John Steven.

**VITULLO**—Born at Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 16 Nov, to Maj and Mrs Orlando E Vitullo, a daughter, Rena Elizabeth.

**WALLACE**—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 20 Nov, to Lt Col and Mrs Victor M Wallace, a daughter.

**WALSH**—Born at Quantico, Va, 29 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs Charles Walsh, a son.

**WAMPLER**—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 24 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Paul Edward Wampler, jr, a daughter.

**WARD**—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 13 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Raymond W Ward, a daughter, Jo Lynn.

**WATTERS**—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 13 Nov, to Sfc and Mrs Harold W Watters, a son, Harold Ward, jr.

**WEEMS**—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 24 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Elmer J Weems, a daughter.

**WELLS**—Born at Scott AFB, Ill, 16 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Joseph A Wells, a son, Joseph Mark.

**WHEATON**—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 21 Nov, to Maj and Mrs Paul Ross Wheaton, sr, a son.

**WHITE**—Born at Ft Monmouth, NJ, 12 Nov, to Maj and Mrs Jack E White, a son.

**WHITE**—Born at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 21 Nov, to CWO and Mrs Lawrence W White, a daughter.

**WHITE**—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 15 Nov, to S/Sgt and Mrs Robert L White, a daughter, Linda Rena.

**WICK**—Born at Lackland AFB, Tex, 15 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Gilbert E Wick, a son.

**WILLIAMS**—Born at Quantico, Va, 28 Nov, to 2d Lt and Mrs George Williams, a son.

**WILLIAMS**—Born at Madigan AH, Tacoma, Wash, 24 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Larry Williams, a son.

**WISE**—Born at Madigan AH, Tacoma, Wash, 17 Nov, to Capt and Mrs Robert Wise, a daughter.

**WOOD**—Born at Madigan AH, Tacoma, Wash, 21 Nov, to WOJG and Mrs. Billy A Wood, a son.

**WRIGHT**—Born at Valley Forge AH, Phoenixville, Pa, 19 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Allen R Wright, a daughter.

**WRIGHT**—Born at Tokyo, Japan, 2 Nov, to CWO and Mrs William A Wright, a son, David John.

**YORK**—Born at Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 18 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Earl James York, jr, a son, Mark Ballard.

**ZWICKER**—Born at Tokyo, Japan, 3 Nov, to 1st Lt and Mrs Ralph L Zwickler, a son, Bruce Wise.

## Married

**BOARDMAN-SHERBARD**—Married at the Brown Memorial Presbyterian Church, Baltimore, Md, 15 Nov, Miss Janet E Sherrard and Maj Charles H Boardman, 3d, son of Mr & Mrs Boardman of Columbus, Ohio.

**BOWERS-COLBERT**—Married at the Evangelical Reformed Church, Frederick, Md, 27 Nov, Miss Ann Natalie Colbert, daughter of Mr & Mrs William T Delaplaine of Frederick, and Ens Martin L Bowers, jr, USNR, son of Mr Mrs Bowers, also of Frederick.

**CHURCHILL-KIRBY**—Married at St Paul's Chapel, US Naval Training Center, Bainbridge, Md, 25 Nov, Miss Sarah Louise Kirby, daughter of Capt (MC, USN) and Mrs Dunne W Kirby of Manor Heights, Port Deposit, Md, and Lt(jg) William F Churchill, USN, son of Mrs Edwin W Churchill of New York, and the late Mr Churchill.

**CURRAN-WAGNER**—Married at the Roman Catholic Church of St Francis of Assisi, Mt Kisco, NY, 27 Nov, Miss Elizabeth Jane Wagner, daughter of Mr & Mrs Chester Arnold Wagner of Mt Kisco, and Lt(jg) John Paul Curran, USN, son of Mrs James Leo Curran of Worcester, Mass, and the late Dr Curran.

**GRIFFITHS-WILLIAMS**—Married at Pensacola, Fla, 22 Oct, Miss Barbara Frances Williams, daughter of Mr & Mrs Chester A Williams of Greenwich, Conn, and Lt Cadvan Owen Griffiths, jr, USN, son of Mrs Florence Griffiths of New York.

**KEANE-BRODERICK**—Married at the Roman Catholic Church of the Holy Family, New Rochelle, NY, 27 Nov, Miss Julia Margaret Broderick, daughter of Mr & Mrs Thomas A Broderick, and Ens John Richard Keane, USNR, son of Mr & Mrs John Patrick Keane of Scarsdale, NY.

**KENNARD-GREFF**—Married at St Mark's Catholic Church, Phoenix, Ariz, 27 Nov, Miss Catherine Ann Greff, daughter of Mr & Mrs A J Greff of Phoenix, and Lt Paul Hesse Kennard, son of Mr & Mrs Earle H Kennard of Bethesda, Md.

**MEZEY-CARTER**—Married at the Congregational Church, Manhasset, LI, NY, 26 Nov, Miss Caryl Carter, daughter of Mr & Mrs Emmett Finley Carter of Menlo Park, Calif, and Lt(jg) Peter Mezey, USNR, son of Mr & Mrs Charles Mezey.

**MORRIS-ARMSTRONG**—Married at the Holy Cross Episcopal Church, Miami, Fla, 27 Nov, Miss Elizabeth Armstrong, daughter of Mr & Mrs Joohn Randolph Armstrong of Miami, and Lt Robert Parker Morris, USA, son of Col (USA-Ret) & Mrs James Monroe Morris of Gainesville.

**O'BRIEN-SUTTER**—Married at the Roman Catholic Church of Our Lady of Victory, New York City, 27 Nov, Miss Virginia Ann Sutter, daughter of Mr & Mrs Leonard L Sutter of Pleasant Plains, SI, NY, and 2d Lt Robert Edward O'Brien, USA, son of Mrs Edward O'Brien of Providence, RI, and the late Mr O'Brien.

**PLUMB-HOAGLAND**—Married in the Great Choir of the Washington Cathedral, Washington, DC, 27 Nov, Miss Anne Boone Hoagland, daughter of Mr & Mrs Henry V Hoagland of Washington, and Lt(jg) Robert Johnston Plumb, jr, USNR, son of the Reverend & Mrs Plumb of Greenwich, Conn.

**POOLE-HATHEWAY**—Married at the home of the bride's parents at Litchfield, Conn, Miss Julie Ann Hatheway, daughter of Mr & Mrs Ralph W Kruse, and Lt Robert Keyes Poole, USA.

**REILLY-KETZER**—Married at St Mary's Protestant Episcopal Church, West Brighton, SI, NY, 28 Nov, Miss Faith Geraldine Ketzer, daughter of Mr & Mrs Herbert R Ketzer of West Brighton, and 2d Lt Philip Mitchell Reilly, USA, son of Mr & Mrs John Gay Reilly of Mexico.

**RYAN-MALONEY**—Married at St John the Baptist Roman Catholic Church, Yonkers, NY, 27 Nov, Miss Joan Patricia Maloney, daughter of Mr & Mrs Chas F Maloney, and 2d Lt James Paul Ryan, USA, son of Mrs John J Ryan, and the late Mr Ryan.

**ST JOHN-RYAN**—Married at Christ Protestant Episcopal Church, Short Hills, NJ, 20 Nov, Miss Barbara Joan Ryan, daughter of Mr & Mrs Quincy Gorman Ryan, and Lt Howard Ellsworth St John, jr, USAF, son of Mr & Mrs St John.

**STRETT-BOATNER**—Married at the Base Chapel, Bolling AFB, DC, 2 Dec, Miss Edith Peake Boatner, daughter of Lt Gen (USAF) & Mrs Bryant LeMaire Boatner of Washington, DC, and Capt St Clair Strett, jr, USA, son of Maj Gen (USAF-Ret) & Mrs Strett of Lusby, Md.

**VARISCO-GILB**—Married at Sts John and Paul Roman Catholic Church, Larchmont, NY, 20 Nov, Miss Dorothy Elaine Gilb, daughter of Mr & Mrs Howard W Gilb, and Lt Anthony John Varisco, USAF.

**WALTON-EDGEWORTH**—Married at the Holy Cross Roman Catholic Church, Dover, Del, 27 Nov, Miss Salome Alberta Edgeworth, daughter of Mr & Mrs Arthur B Edgeworth of Dover, and Ens Jonathan Taylor Walton, USNR, son of Mr & Mrs Howard R Walton of Grosse Pointe, Mich.

**WATSON-CHAZAL**—Married at the Church of the Assumption, Bethlehem, Pa, 19 Nov, Miss Jennifer Louise Chazal, daughter of Col & Mrs Edward A Chazal of Arlington, Va, and Mr James Angus Watson, 3d, son of Mr & Mrs Watson of Washington, DC.

## Died

**ADAMS**—Died at USNH, Camp Lejeune, NC, 10 Nov, CWO Ocie Thomas Adams, HC, USN. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Francis A Adams of 2436 Tarawa Blvd, Tarawa Terrace, Camp Lejeune. Burial was at Portsmouth, Va.

**ANDRESS**—Died at Goodfellow AFB, Tex, 3 Nov, Maj Crystal L Andress, Ret.

**BISHOP**—Died at Rochester, Minn, 6 Nov, Col Raymond H Bishop, USA-Ret.

**BUSCHER**—Killed when a trip flare exploded, during a night training problem, at Ft Belvoir, Va, 22 Nov, 2d Lt Joseph W Buscher of Terre Haute, Ind, a student in the Engineering Officers' Basic Course.

**CANNON**—Died at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 25 Nov, Lt Col Horace A Cannon. Burial was at Dayton, O.

**CLARK**—Died at Bay Pines Veterans Hospital, St Petersburg, Fla, 25 Nov, Col Charles Albert Clark, USA-Ret, 78. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Sara Hall Clark of 1018 Jungle Ave, St Petersburg; two daughters, the Misses Sally and Ethel Clark; and one son, Col C A Clark, jr, USAF, now stationed in Europe. Burial was at Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, DC.

**DAVIS**—Died suddenly, 26 Nov, Lt Col Glenn E Davis, USAF. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Dorothy J Davis; one son, Alexander J Davis; and one daughter, Mrs Elizabeth Clegg, of Wheeler, Ill. Burial was at Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, DC.

**DERBYSHIRE**—Died at Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 1 Nov, Capt William S Derbyshire, Ret.

**DONALDSON**—Died at his home at Tucson, Ariz, 22 Nov, following a heart attack, Col Thomas Quinton Donaldson, jr, USA-Ret, (USMA '18). He is survived by his widow, Mrs Elizabeth Rumbough Donaldson; his mother, Mrs Donaldson, widow of Maj Gen T Q Donaldson, USA, former Inspector General of the Army; two sons, Maj T Q Donaldson, 4th, of Ft Hood Tex, and Maj John W Donaldson of 1303 N Wakefield, Arlington, Va; one daughter, Mrs David S Mallett of Ft Benning, Ga; and eight grandchildren. Burial was at Arlington National Cemetery, Washington.

**DURSTON**—Died in Germany, 16 Nov, Capt Wilford C Durston, SigC.

**FRANKLIN**—Died at Nashville, Tenn, 23 Nov, Col Charles Hillman Franklin, USA-Ret, 68. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Dildine Franklin of 3436 Brown St, NW; two daughters, Mrs Charles A Borchers of Silver Spring, Md, and Mrs John B Kirkpatrick, jr, of Eustis, Fla; and five grandchildren. Burial was at Arlington National Cemetery.

**HALPIN**—Died of a heart attack, at Orlando, Fla, 18 Nov, Col Robert J Halpin, USA-Ret. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Melissa Halpin; and one brother, Prof James Halpin of Madison, Wisc. Interment was at Ft Benning, Ga.

**HAMPTON**—Died at Carthage, NC, 19 Nov, WOJG James T Hampton.

**HEINRICH**—Died at Carthage, NC, 19 Nov, WOJG Louis W Heinrichs.

**HILL**—Died at San Antonio, Tex, recently, after a long illness, Lt Col Charles W B Hill, ChC, USA-Ret. He is survived by two sons, Mr John R Hill of New York, and Col Charles W Hill, now in Frankfurt, Germany; two daughters, Mrs F K Paul, wife of Colonel Paul, stationed at Wiesbaden, Germany, and Mrs A E Flora of San Antonio; and ten grandchildren.

**HOLMES**—Died at San Diego, Calif, 21 Nov, Lt Col Jesse M Holmes, USA-Ret.

**JONES**—Died at the home of his daughter, at Waco, Tex, 27 Nov, Col William F Jones, USA-Ret. In addition to his daughter, Mrs E A Elwood of 3209 Maple Ave, Waco, he is survived by four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Burial was at the National Cemetery, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.

**LEITCH**—Died recently, of a heart attack, at the Stanford Stadium, Palo Alto, Calif. Maj DeWitt T Leitch, USA-Ret. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Lotie Leitch of 320 Velarde St, Mountain View, Calif; one son, D T Leitch, jr; and a daughter, Mrs Betty Peterson. Burial was at Sacramento, Calif.

**MASSEY**—Died at San Antonio, Tex, 17 Nov, Col Stephen B Massey, USA-Ret.

**McCAFFERTY**—Died at his home at Auburndale, Fla, 28 Nov, Col Gratian H McCafferty, USA-Ret, veteran of the Bataan Death March. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Kathryn McCafferty; one daughter, Mrs Kathryn Hill of Auburndale; and a nephew, Capt Francis G McCafferty of 983 Duke Dr, Alexandria, Va. Burial was at Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, DC.

**O'BRIANT**—Died at Duke University Hospital, Durham, NC, 8 Nov, M/Sgt Conrad L O'Briant. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Stella Z S O'Briant of Burlington, NC; and one son, John Conrad O'Briant, now at Duke University. Burial was at Burlington, NC.

**RINGER**—Died at his home at Columbia, Mo, 27 Oct, Capt Elmer C Ringer, USA-Ret. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Esther Viola Ringer of 107 Westwood, Columbia; two sons, Mr Francis W Ringer of Philadelphia, Pa, and Mr Leslie D Ringer of Santa Fe, NMex; and one daughter, Mrs John S Hughes of Norfolk, Va, wife of Lt Colonel Hughes, USA.

**ROBERTSON**—Died at Letterman AH, San Francisco, Calif, 22 Nov, Maj Gen Walter Melville Robertson, USA-Ret, California's Civil Defense Director. He was 66 years old. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Lorene Robertson of Sacramento, Calif.

**ROGERS**—Died at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 23 Nov, Col Wilbur Rogers, USA-Ret. Burial was at Arlington National Cemetery.

**RYCROFT**—Died at Letterman AH, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif, 14 Nov, Col Jack E Rycroft, USA-Ret. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Halene M Rycroft of 1367 Hillcrest Blvd, Milbrae, Calif. Interment was at Golden Gate National Cemetery, San Bruno, Calif.

**SCOTT**—Died at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 27 Nov, Maj Gen Charles Lewis Scott, USA-Ret. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Helen Scott of 3601 Connecticut Ave, NW, Washington; one son, Robert C Scott, Dean of Williams College; and two grandchildren. Burial was at Arlington National Cemetery.

**SMITH**—Died at O'Hare AFB, Ill, 27 Nov, Lt Burton A Smith, of Washington, DC. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Barbara A Smith of 5232 Illinois Ave, NW, Washington; and by his parents, Mr & Mrs O Thaxter Smith. Interment was at Arlington National Cemetery.

**VINCENT**—Died suddenly at Orlando, Fla, 23 Nov, Maj Percy C Vincent, USA-Ret, a veteran of thirty years' service. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Freda M Vincent; one son, Edward R Vincent, of Oak Park, Ill; two daughters, Mrs Nadine E Slaughter and Miss Frieda M Vincent; and three grandchildren. Interment was at Greenwood Cemetery, Orlando.

**WRIGHT**—Died at USAH, Ft McPherson, Ga, 19 Nov, Col Alfred Timothy Wright, USA-Ret, former Commanding Officer of the Atlanta General Depot. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Ralissa Wright of 4228 Wieuca Rd, NE, Atlanta; one daughter, Mrs A L Norris; one son, Peter Wright; and four grandchildren. Burial was at the National Cemetery, Marietta, Ga.

## Obituaries

### Five Die in Maryland B-25 Crash

The crash of a B-25, on the evening of 28 Nov., two miles west of Friendship International Airport, Md., resulted in the death of five servicemen. They were: Maj. Wayne G. Shearer, USAF, pilot, 30, of 1117 N. Dale Dr., Annandale, Va.; Maj. Don Coe, USAF, 34, the co-pilot, of Ft. Holabird, Md.; A1C Robert H. Brown, 22; Sgt. Joseph Cavens, Army, 34; and M/Sgt. Howard G. Lorentz, Army, 35.

**Maj. Gen. Charles Lewis Scott, USA-Ret.**  
Maj. Gen. Charles Lewis Scott, USA-Ret., died at Walter Reed Army Hospital, Washington, D. C., on 27 Nov. He was 71 years old.

Spending the early years of his career in the Cavalry, General Scott turned to Armor, when the Cavalry was mechanized and was a pioneer in the development of armored warfare tactics. He organized the famed Second Armored ("Hell on Wheels") Division, becoming, in 1940, its first Commanding General. He was later named Commander of the First Armored Corps at Ft. Knox, Ky., before spending some months as Senior Military Observer with the British Eighth Army, during the Libyan fighting. From 1943 until his retirement from active duty, General Scott commanded the large Replacement Training Center at Ft. Knox.

A native of Mt. Pleasant, Ala., he was graduated from the U. S. Military Academy in 1905. A superior horseman, General Scott was Chief of the Army's Remount Service from 1924 until 1928, and he headed the U. S. Olympic Equestrian Team in 1932. For many years, he served as official judge at the annual National Horse Show at Madison Square Garden.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Helen Scott of 3601 Connecticut Ave., N.W., Washington; one son, Robert C. L. Scott, Dean of Williams College; and two grandchildren.

Burial was at Arlington National Cemetery.

### Col. Thomas Quinton Donaldson, Jr., USA-Ret.

Col. Thomas Quinton Donaldson, Jr., USA-Ret., 57, died, following a heart attack, at his home at Tucson, Ariz., on 22 Nov.

Colonel Donaldson, a noted horseman and  
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### Air Power Promises "Gift of Peace," Gen. Twining Tells Industry Leaders

Even though Russia may possess air-atomic power, our own build-up of planes and nuclear weapons can prevent a war, General Nathan A. Twining, Chief of Staff of the Air Force, told more than 2,000 members and guests of the American Ordnance Association 1 Dec. at their annual Industrial Preparedness Dinner in New York City.

After reviewing the many peacetime and humanitarian uses of air power General Twining said: "These peaceful gifts are insignificant compared to the gift of peace that air power promises."

"Superior planes and superior nuclear weapons can prevent a war," he declared. "This was obvious when we held a monopoly in nuclear weapons and near monopoly in long-range bombers, but it is equally true now. There are those who argue that Russian development of atomic weapons and jet bombers cancels our war-preventing power."

"They are wrong. The possible destruction of sources of Red power must be as unattractive to the Red rulers now as it ever was. As long as we keep this capability, the Red rulers still face the same dire consequences."

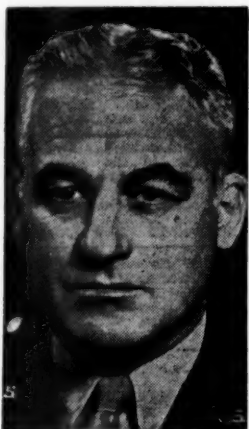
"Many persons misinterpret the effect of Red air-atomic power on United States policy. True, if we were an aggressor nation, their new power would deter us from starting a war. The point is, we never have and we never will need deterring. Our love of peace has not stemmed from increased Red power. Peace is all we ever wanted."

Speaking of the present state of our air power, General Twining reported that today we have 119 wings and should reach our goal of 137 wings by mid-57. All of our wings, he said, are now modern and all of our fighters are jets.

"We are getting more punch for our money today," General Twining said. "Our long-range offensive punch is contained in our Strategic Air Command. Two months ago, the last combat B-29 glided into history, and now our main long-range bombers are the jet B-47's and the ten-engined B-36's. B-52's are now rolling off the production lines and will gradually replace the B-36."

"When most people think of atomic warfare, they think of the Strategic Air Command. Our Tactical Air Command also has a tremendous atomic capability. All the fighters and light bombers in TAC will be able to carry either TNT or atomic bombs depending on what is needed to do the job. Today the main distinction between the capabilities of the Strategic Air Command and the Tactical Air Command is range of operation."

"Our offensive power is strong, but the



Gen. Twining

Soviets are strengthening their offense, too. They have a growing stockpile of nuclear weapons, and are producing long-range jet bombers. For this reason, we are placing ever increasing emphasis on air defense.

"Recently, all the air defense of the nation was put into a single command—the Continental Air Defense Command. This was a great step toward a really effective air defense. We are continuing to enlarge our radar warning system, and we are continuing to build more interceptor bases. Our interceptors are ready 24 hours a day to intercept and destroy any enemy. Their airplanes are equipped with hard hitting rockets, and in the future will be armed with deadly air-to-air missiles."

"Our future striking power will be further strengthened by the introduction of pilotless aircraft into our air forces. The B-61 'Matador' is already operational and ready for use."

"We are putting a high priority on the development of the inter-continental missile, and work is progressing. Obviously, we cannot afford to fall behind in this field. This missile will add much to the power of our long-range striking forces."

"To add to the mobility and flexibility of our flying units, we are planning new supply techniques. It is ridiculous that a modern fighting force should be tied down by mountainous stockpiles and miles of red tape. No longer can we afford the wasteful operations involved in moving critical equipment slowly through choked pipelines. Future supply activities will be characterized by quick electronic requisitioning and fast delivery of critical items by air."

### New AF Procurement Instruction On Sale Now

The Air Force Procurement Instruction, a four-inch-thick volume containing instructions governing the conduct of all Air Force purchasing and contracting, was on sale to businessmen this week.

The new manual, which was consolidated from a four foot stack of 4000 separate procurement regulations from 27 different publications, took a year to complete.

Col. Robert J. Meyer, of the Procurement Policy Division at Air Force Headquarters, and Lloyd R. Poe, Chief of the Purchase Surveillance Section, AMC Headquarters, were commended for their success in preparing the manual by Asst. Secy. AF for Materiel, Roger Lewis.

The new publication includes Air Force procurement policies and procedures, as well as detailed instructions for carrying out the basic procurement policies laid down in the Armed Services Procurement Regulation. It is keyed numerically to this Regulation so that Air Force procurement officials and private contractors can quickly locate appropriate instructions for particular cases.

### New Radar Super Connies Have More Cruising Range

A new series of Super Constellation radar picket planes with longer cruising ranges has been delivered to the Air Force by Lockheed Aircraft Corporation.

The new planes, designated RC-121D, are equipped with two more 600-gallon wingtip fuel tanks and an additional 1000-gallon fuselage tank for extra hours aloft. Earlier versions of the radar Conny were capable of continuous flight for more than a whole day.

Interior changes in the RC-121D include new radar consoles with larger viewing scopes, which Air Force technicians use in sighting and spotting unidentified targets. Four lounge-type chairs have been installed in the compartment forward of the radar-filled workshop amidships to give crew members more facilities for relaxation.

The first aircraft in the new "D" series went to Wright Air Development Center at Dayton, O., for testing. The others delivered to date have gone into service with the 4701st Airborne Early Warning and Control Squadron of the Eighth Air Division at Sacramento, Calif.

### Army Awards \$44 Million For 90 New Barracks

Contracts totalling \$44,000,000 for construction of 90 standard permanent type barracks to house 23,000 troops at 21 Army posts have been awarded during the past two months by the Corps of Engineers.

Total construction costs include costs of messing facilities, utilities and site preparation work. The actual cost for barracks alone is about \$1600 per man.

Each of the 90 barracks will house 263 men in modern, compact units, replacing existing unsatisfactory temporary barracks.

Following are the 21 Army installations where the new barracks will be built, together with the number of barracks each will be given under this program.

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### New Model GE J47 Jet Gives 10% More Thrust

An advanced model jet engine designed to push Air Force interceptors eight miles skyward at over a mile a minute is now in production at the General Electric Company's jet engine plant at Cincinnati, according to G. E. Fouch, General Manager of the company's Jet Engine Department.

The engine, the J47-GE-33, produces 10 per cent more thrust or driving force than early model J47-GE-17 engines and makes it possible for North American F-86D interceptors to get "upstairs" 20 per cent faster than interceptors equipped with the "dash 17" engine, it was said.

One of the design improvements is a ceramic-coated inner liner which allows increased fuel injection. This liner, made of the same basic material as some ceramic dishes, acts as a radiation shield to prevent the hot gas from overheating the tailpipe skin when the extra fuel is injected into the afterburner. The liner also preserves boundary-layer cooling of the pipe by maintaining a layer of turbine discharge gas next to the tailpipe skin.

G-E engineers also made a circuit change in the electronic engine control so that now it automatically varies the engine's thrust rate as a predetermined function of altitude and prevents the tailpipe from overheating.

The new model incorporates a change in the inlet guide vane angles which, while having the same configuration as the standard vanes, results in increased thrust both for the dry and afterburner operation.

Main engine and afterburner ignition systems on the J47-GE-33 model are much lighter and make possible afterburner ignition at higher altitudes.

The new J47-GE-33 engine is completely interchangeable with the present J47-GE-17 engine. All future North American F-86D Sabrejets will be equipped with the new engine.

### Radio Engineers Elect Gen. Back To Fellowship

Maj. Gen. George I. Back, Chief Army Signal Officer, will be made a Fellow in the Institute of Radio Engineers, the highest membership award which IRE confers.

The award will be made during the IRE's annual convention 21-24 March at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York City.

### Transistorized Autopilot

The first successful flight of an airplane controlled by an automatic pilot using transistors entirely instead of electron tubes took place last May, Bendix Aviation Corporation announced this week.

Bendix also disclosed that another completely transistorized automatic pilot system was delivered to Wright Air Development Center, O., last April. That one, which will be evaluated in high-performance aircraft, has been installed and is being ground tested in a Lockheed F94C.

### SC Closes NY Agency

The Army Signal Corps Supply Agency closed its New York Regional Office this week and transferred its functions to the Signal Corps Supply Agency headquarters at Philadelphia.

A four-member liaison group will be retained in the New York area, and will continue to furnish assistance and information to prospective suppliers.

### AF Orders New Fibreglass Helmets For Jet Pilots

A new light-weight fibreglass helmet for pilots and crew members of jet fighters and bombers has been developed by the Air Force.

The new helmets, which have several advantages over the old-type headgear, will gradually replace the present cotton duck helmets as they become unserviceable.

An initial order for 2200 fibreglass helmets has been placed with the Selby Shoe Company, Portsmouth, O., for \$20.46 each, a price that compares favorably with the cotton duck headgear.

The Air Research and Development Command at Wright Air Development Center, O., has been experimenting with fibreglass helmets for some time, but previously had been unable to come up with one which had the same weight and resistance qualities as the cotton duck helmet.

The Air Force requires that helmets withstand an impact of 64 foot-pounds, and that they show no penetration when a one-pound plumb bob is dropped from 10 feet.

Previous fibreglass helmets had the necessary impact strength, but they weighed too much. The Air Force insisted that the helmets range in weight from 17 to 20 ounces. The newly-developed item meets both the strength and weight specification.

Because of the materials used in constructing cotton duck helmets, projections were usually found inside the headgear. Fibreglass helmets, made of preformed short fibres, give a uniform shape.

When molded, the cotton duck laminate produced so much warping that no two helmets were exactly alike. This made it extremely difficult to fix helmet accessories. With the fibreglass helmet, the accessories can be made to exact measurements with the knowledge that they will do an effective job.

In addition, the fibreglass helmet is unaffected by weather conditions, whereas the cotton duck helmet became soft at 160 to 180 degrees Fahrenheit, and became brittle at 20 degrees below zero.

### Reduced Rail Furlough Rates Extended a Year

Reduced furlough fares on the nation's railroads for military personnel traveling in uniform at their own expense have been extended to 31 Jan. 1956, it has been announced by Earl B. Padrick, chairman of the Interterritorial Military Committee, which represents all railroads in the East, South and West. The reduction in furlough fares for members of the Armed Forces would have expired on 31 Jan. 1955, Mr. Padrick said.

This action will continue the tax-exempt round-trip fares, good in coaches only, for military personnel on furlough at the rate of 2.025 cents a mile or less, which results in a saving of up to one cent a mile, and includes regular stop-over and baggage privileges, Mr. Padrick pointed out.

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 Lane, Ariel L., AFSC NORVA DUINS; to  
 AFSC NORVA.  
 Logan, James W., Jr., AFSC NORVA DUINS;  
 to NAF NOTS INYOKERN.  
 Marzetta, Dante R., AFSC NORVA DUINS;  
 to NPG DAHLGREN.  
 McCreary, Charles A. P. (NR), 4ND; to JSTAFF  
 CINCCE.  
 McCreary, Arthur D. (SC), AFSC NORVA  
 DUINS; to STAFF CINCPACFLT.  
 Merritt, James F., Jr., AFSC NORVA DUINS;  
 to NAS JOHNSVILLE.  
 Michael, Vernon L., AFSC NORVA DUINS;  
 to BUAER.  
 Miller, Gordon A., AFSC NORVA DUINS; to  
 NAVANTRACOM NAS CORPC.  
 Olson, Nelse O. (MC), MSTSNORPACSUB-  
 AREA; to NAVHOSP BREM.  
 Price, Walter W., Jr., AFSC NORVA DUINS;  
 to USNA ANNA.  
 Ross, James E., 12ND; to NAVSEC MAAG  
 FORMOSA TSOYING.  
 Russell, William T. (SC), AFSC NORVA  
 DUINS; to JSTAFF USCINCEUR.  
 Shear, Harold E., AFSC NORVA DUINS; to  
 OPNAV.  
 Shelton, Sid W., AFSC NORVA DUINS; to  
 USS POINT CRUZ.  
 Suerstedt, Henry, Jr., AFSC NORVA DUINS;  
 to BUORD.  
 Swanbeck, James R., AFSC NORVA DUINS;  
 to AFSC NORVA.  
 Tesson, William, NAV BOILER AND TUR-  
 BINE LAB NAVB PHILA; to BUSHIPS.  
 Young, Lloyd V., AFSC NORVA DUINS; to  
 PHIBGRU FOUR.  
 Armstrong, Robert M., COMPRON SIX; to  
 OFC OF BAR GLENN L MARTIN CO  
 BALTO.  
 Blodgett, Robert B., AFSC NORVA DUINS;  
 to PATRON 50.  
 Bogardus, Robert A., CO USS NEPTUNE; to  
 SERVLANT.  
 Brandt, George E., Jr., NELM; to CO USS  
 JARVIS.  
 Clarke, Henry E. (NR), USS EOTETOURT;  
 to STOCKGRU.  
 Cochran, William A. (SC), NSC NORVA; to  
 OIC DOCKSUPDEP NSC NORVA.  
 Connell, Robert J., CO NAVRESTRACEN  
 SCRANTON; to CO USS NEPTUNE.  
 Davidson, James J., OPNAV; to COMPRON  
 THREE.  
 Drake, James P., CO USS ROBINSON; to  
 5ND.  
 Folta, George W., Jr., USS ANTIETAM; to  
 OPNAV.  
 Lawler, Joseph J. (NR), 5ND; to MINLANT.  
 O'Dowd, William T., Jr., OPNAV; to AIR-  
 TRANSRON 21.  
 Bonsack, William H., OIC AIRTRANSRON

24 NAPLES DET; to AIRTRANSRON 24  
 NAPLES DET.  
 Buerschinger, Wallace P., USS RANDALL;  
 to OPNAV.  
 Fry, Wesley (MC), THIRDMARDIVFMF; to  
 NAVHOSP YOKOSUKA.  
 Gelsinger, Verne E., USS PHILIPPINE SEA;  
 to FASRON 11.  
 Hass, Edwin L. (NR), ONR NAVDEPT; to  
 NAVHOSP BETHESDA TRMT.  
 Hermanson, Joseph M., USS GARDINERS  
 BAY; to NAVSTA MIDWAYS.  
 McDaniel, Noel W., NAVSTA KWAJALEIN;  
 to 14ND.  
 Schwabe, Leo R., CO USS POLARIS; to  
 SERVDIV 31.  
 Barrows, Frank L., CO USS ASHLAND; to  
 MARENAVSHIPYD.  
 Bell, Clarence E., Jr., USS ORION; to COM-  
 SUBDIV 61.  
 Edwards, Frank G., CO FITRON 152; to  
 NATESTCEN PAXRIV.  
 Foster, Thomas M., SERVLANT; to USS  
 MACON.  
 Gift, Ronald P., CO FITRON 41; to AIR-  
 LANT.  
 Grimes, Alton B., OPNAV; to AIRDEVIRON  
 FIVE.  
 Grothjahn, Harry C., NAAS CORRYFLD  
 PNCLA; to CO TACRON TWO.  
 Jansen, Gilbert B., Jr., NAVANTRACOM NAS  
 CORPC; to PHOTRON 61.  
 Kyle, Burton T., Jr., MSTSLANTAREA; to  
 RAD.  
 Lang, Paul G. (DC), USS ESSEX; to NAV-  
 DENTAL CLINIC NGF WASHDC.  
 McLean, Marvin M. (MC), NAVHOSP MARE  
 TRMT; to NAVHOSP BETHESDA TRMT.  
 McMillen, Gervase C. (ChC) (NR), USS AL-  
 BANY; to NAVSTA NAVB NORVA.  
 Muckenthaler, Charles P., Jr., AIRDEVIRON  
 FOUR; to NATESTCEN PAXRIV.  
 Seroka, Nell P. (NC), NAVHOSP GUAM; to  
 INDIANA UNIV BLOOMINGTON DUINS.  
 Thompson, Harley F., BUORD; to CO FIT-  
 RON 32.  
 Veno, Clarence G. (DC), NSD NAVB ANNEX  
 BAYONNE; to FIRST PROVMAIR AIR  
 GND TF FMF.  
 Walline, Charles S., AFSC NORVA DUINS;  
 to BUPERS.

## Lt Commander

Allen, Harold G., CO USS SHELKOF; to  
 NORFOLKNAVSHIPYD.  
 Antonik, Bronislaw P., USS PHILIPPINE  
 SEA; to AIRPAC TEM.  
 Augenblick, Richard G., USS AULT; to USS  
 POINT DEFANCE.  
 Brown, Carl A., Jr., FASRON 12; to CO FIT-  
 RON 53.  
 Carlson, Walton L., FLD COM AFSWP  
 ALBQ; to BUSHIPS.  
 Clements, Albert J. (ChC) (NR), USS EVER-  
 GLADES; to RAD.  
 Crusier, Handford III, USS WILLARD  
 KEITH; to CO USS PILLSBURY.  
 Deal, Ronald A., Jr., PATRON 44; to OFC  
 OF BAR REACTION MOTORS INC  
 ROCKAWAY.  
 Foshia, Charles E., NAVSCOL PREFLT NAS  
 PNCLA; to AIRTRANSRON 24.  
 Hansley, Louis (SC), BSNVSHIPYD; to  
 USS AMPHION.  
 Knight, Charles B. (ChC) (NR), MSTSLANT-  
 AREA; to RAD.  
 Land, Jay W., SURASDEVDETANT; to CO  
 USS ROWAN.  
 Lustig, Victor J. (ChC) (NR), NAVHOSP  
 CAMLEJ; to NAVHOSP CHELSEA.  
 McFarland, Thomas I., USS BACHE; to NOR-  
 FOLKNAVSHIPYD.  
 Normille, Walter G. (SC), 3ND; to NAVMAT  
 CATALOG OFC NAVSUPACTYS NY  
 BKLYN.  
 Phillips, Horace E. (SC), NGF WASHDC; to  
 NAVSTA KWAJALEIN.  
 Pierce, Theodore P. (NR), NAVB PEARL;  
 to 9ND.  
 Ponzurle, John J., AIRPAC; to NAVAVN-  
 SAFETY ACTY NAS NORVA.  
 Rosa, Philip S. (NR), PATRON 40; to NAS  
 AGANA.  
 Shea, Francis E. (SC), OIC NAVCOMSYSTO  
 MARENAVSHIPYD; to USS LUZON.  
 Stockton, Ralph H., USS EVERGLADES; to  
 CO NAVRESTRACEN MCALESTER.  
 White, Walter W., Jr. (NR), NAVRECSTA  
 NAVSTA SDIEGO TEM; to RAD.  
 Wolf, Rodger B., PACRESFLT; to NAV-  
 STA KODIAK.  
 Young, Robert J., Jr., SUBSCOL NAVSUBASE  
 NLON; to CO USS REDFIN.  
 Windham, Grover B., Jr., CARDIV 14; to  
 AIRLANT TEM.  
 Yetter, Donald A., WESTSEAFRON; to  
 SERVRON THREE.  
 Zickelsoose, Raymond P. (SC) (NR), DOCK-  
 SUPOFC NAVCBEN PORHUE; to USS  
 DELTA.  
 Adams, Corliss W., FASRON 11; to ONM  
 NAVDEPT.  
 Bedford, Joseph D., NAS GTMO; to AIR-  
 LANT TEM.  
 Buckwalter, Earl E., AFSC NORVA DUINS;  
 to CO USS SHELTON.  
 Bursik, Viada D., AFSC NORVA DUINS; to  
 NAVWARCOL NPT.  
 Colter, Jack W. (NR), NAAS CORRYFLD  
 PNCLA; to AIRLANT TEM.  
 Corcoran, James E. (SC), NSD SEATTLE;  
 to USS DIXIE.  
 Crandall, Charles N., Jr., AFSC NORVA  
 DUINS; to OPNAV.  
 Deal, Ronald A., Jr., PATRON 44; to NAAS  
 FALLON.

Donnelly, Grant L., PATRON 19; to 11ND.  
 Eaton, Russell S., Jr., AFSC NORVA DUINS;  
 to AIRPAC TEM.  
 Fitton, Cyrus F., AFSC NORVA DUINS; to  
 AIRLANT TEM.  
 Garrett, William C., Jr. (NR), CARDIV  
 THREE; to NATESTCEN PAXRIV.  
 Gesell, Lewis E., NAAS KINGSVILLE; to  
 NAF IWAKUNI.  
 Getts, Robert H. (MSC), AFSC NORVA  
 DUINS; to SERVLANT.  
 Hardy, Thomas H., COMPRON 11; to DES-  
 RON 11.  
 Leidle, Earl L., NAVFE; to BD OF DECO-  
 RATIONS AND MEDALS NAVDEPT.  
 Maloof, George M., CO MSTSO/NCSS OKI-  
 NAWA; to USS ALUDRA.  
 Marsh, Zeddie (SC), OIC NADO PHILA; to  
 USS HOOPER ISLAND.  
 McCoy, Frank O. (NR), OFC OF BAGR CEN-  
 DIST WPAFB OHIO; to NAVSTA AR-  
 GENTIA.  
 Miles, Ross E., Jr., OPNAV; to AIRLANT  
 TEM.  
 Miller, Myrl R., AFSC NORVA DUINS; to  
 USS CORAL SEA.  
 Moore, Hoyer D. (SC), AFSC NORVA DUINS;  
 to ONM NAVDEPT.  
 Naureckas, John M., NAVSCOL PREFLT  
 NAS PNCLA; to AIRTRANSRON 24.  
 Pierre, Emile E., Jr., AFSC NORVA DUINS;  
 to NAVWARCOL NPT.  
 Price, Howard C., Jr., BUPERS; to USS  
 COLONIAL.  
 Roberson, Herman W. (NR), NAAS BARIN-  
 FLD FOLEY; to AIRLANT TEM.  
 Robison, Charles D., Jr., AFSC NORVA  
 DUINS; to SERVLANT.  
 Rosania, Hugh J., AFSC NORVA DUINS; to  
 CO USS ENTEMEDOR.  
 Ryan, Robert R., USS MONTEREY; to AIR-  
 LANT TEM.  
 Shea, John D., Jr., AFSC NORVA DUINS;  
 to CHESAPEAKE BAY ANNEX NRL  
 RANDLE CLIFF.  
 South, Marvin P., AFSC NORVA DUINS; to  
 USS FORRESTAL.  
 Toon, Buster E., AFSC NORVA DUINS; to  
 SERVRON SIXTHFLT.  
 Tungate, Merritt J., UTRON THREE; to  
 AIRPAC TEM.  
 Younkun, Robert D., AFSC NORVA DUINS;  
 to AIRPAC TEM.  
 Black, James B., AIRASRON 39; to USS  
 MONTEREY.  
 Dunn, Robert S. (NR), NAAS KINGSVILLE;  
 to AIRTRANSRON THREE.  
 Freeman, Estha C. (NR), BUPERS; to 14  
 ND.  
 Gooden, Harold H., USS TOLOVANA; to OIC  
 HARDEFU NAVB LOS ANGELES NAVSTA  
 LBEACH.  
 Hall, Henry B. (NR), MSTSWESTPACAREA;  
 to MSTSC YOKOHAMA.  
 Lynn, Ira T., OFC OF BAR GLENN L MAR-  
 TIN CO BALTO; to AIRPAC TEM.  
 Mittenmaier, Ernest B., NATTU NAAS EL  
 CENTRO; to AIRTRANSRON THREE.  
 Schmidt, Charles K., 11ND; to CO USS POM-  
 FRET.  
 Seaver, Clifford N., USS HORNET; to AIR-  
 PAC TEM.  
 Bartholdi, John J., Jr., NAAS CORRYFLD  
 PNCLA; to NAVHOSP BETHESDATRMT.  
 Burdette, Fred M., USS PRAIRIE; to DIEGO  
 GRU.  
 Conner, Andrew B., Jr., CO FITRON 103; to  
 USS LAKE CHAMPLAIN.  
 Couch, Howard W., NAAS CORRYFLD  
 PNCLA; to USS ORISKANY.  
 Edwards, Arthur T. M., UTWGLANT; to NA-  
 BATRACOM NAS PNCLA.  
 Essig, John S. (SC), MSTSWESTPACAREA;  
 to OIC NAVCOMSYSTO NAVB PHILA.  
 Ford, George E., CARAIRGRU 10; to CO  
 ATKRON 104.  
 Gels, Joseph F., 3ND; to USS ROLETTE AKA  
 99.  
 Gibson, Richard H., CO USS BATFISH; to  
 CO USS AMBERJACK.  
 Huffman, Chester A., CRUITNOP STL; to  
 USS NORTHAMPTON.  
 Hughes, Boyd D., OIC LONG BEACH AREA  
 LNTAMTRAPAC NAVB; to USS OAK  
 HILL.  
 Orr, James I., USN ADGRU ROK NAVY; to  
 CRUITNOP NAVPERSCEN OMAHA.  
 Raynor, Leon T., USS WASP; to AIRPAC  
 TEM.  
 Reynolds, Bruce H., USNAVVIS TO BRAZIL  
 RIO DE JANEIRO; to NAVCOMMSTA  
 NORFOLK NAVB NORVA.  
 Rosengrant, Warren M., NAVCITEAMTRA-  
 CEN BSN; to FAIRDEFTRACEN DAM  
 NECK VABEACH.  
 Scott, Ralph H. S. (DC), NAVPHIBASE  
 CORONADO; to FIRSTMARDIV FMF.  
 Turnquist, George, USS NEW JERSEY; to  
 CO NAVMARCOESTRACEN HINGHAM.  
 Weatherford, William H., PUGET SOUND  
 NAVSHIPYD; to HAWSEAFRON.  
 Welmer, Raymond M., CO USS CONSTANT;  
 to MINDIV 94.  
 Wyman, Herbert B., NAS QUONPT; to NA-  
 DEVU (PROJECT LINCOLN) NAS SOUTH  
 WEYMOUTH.  
 Bentley, Philip C. (ChC), USS RENDOVA;  
 to NAVHOSP OAK.  
 Blease, George W. (NR), NAAS KING-  
 SVILLE; to AIRPAC TEM.  
 Boose, William R., USS SPERRY; to CO USS  
 RAZORBACK.



## President to Ask Modified UMT, Draft Extension

President Eisenhower will appeal for strengthened reserve forces in his State of the Union Message to Congress next month.

This is expected to be a major highlight of the Chief Executive's address and will be followed immediately by legislation asking a four-year extension of the draft with continuation of the two-year service period.

The new reserve forces plan, as sketched by Defense Secretary Charles E. Wilson this week, also will ask authority to give six months' active duty training to about 100,000 men per year. These youngsters then would be compelled to give satisfactory service in the reserve or face induction into the active service.

This in effect would provide a modified UMT program running side by side with selective service.

Mr. Wilson told a news conference that details of the plan have not yet been completed. Among other matters, a major decision must be reached by the administration as to how much money it is willing to spend for the reserve program.

It has been estimated the cost could go as high as \$1 billion per year.

Mr. Wilson's comments on the program, made in response to reporter's inquiries, confirmed substantially an article in the 20 Nov. issue of *THE JOURNAL*. That article pointed out that the reserve forces plan probably would mean an increase in the strength of the Army and Marine Corps to take care of the six months trainees.

## Discuss Standardized

### Air Search Plan For CAP

Discussion of standardization of aerial search and rescue procedures for Civil Air Patrol Wings operating in the 5th Air Rescue Group's area of responsibility highlighted a recent joint ARS-CAP conference at Hagerstown, Md.

Representatives, including Air Force liaison officers from 13 wings, heard Col. Raymond L. Curtice, commander, 5th Air Rescue Group at Westover AFB, Mass., lead the talks.

The program was held under the direction of Maj. George M. Ririe, jr., CAP coordinator with 5th ARGp at Westover. Project officer for the conference was Lt. Col. M. R. Walsh, USAF, assigned to CAP National Headquarters at Bolling AFB, Washington, D. C.

Host for the conference was Col. A. Paul Fonda, commander of the Maryland Wing, CAP, and assistant director of Customer Relations for Fairchild Engine and Airplane Corp. The conferees witnessed a flight demonstration of the C-123 Avitruc assault transport following a tour of the Fairchild Aircraft plant.

## Heads Local Service Airlines

Former Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Air John F. Floberg has been selected Chairman of the Conference of the Local Service Airlines.

Mr. Floberg, who served on the Navy Secretariat from 1949 until 1953, will continue as a member of the Washington branch of the law firm of Kirkland, Fleming, Green, Martin and Ellis. In his new position, he succeeds Mr. Donald Nyrop who resigned to become President of Northwest Airlines.

## ROA Honors Gen. Parks

Lt. Gen. Floyd L. Parks, Second Army commander, was presented with a citation in recognition of his "outstanding services" by the Pennsylvania Department of the Reserve Officers Association on 26 Nov.

The award was presented in the General's office at Second Army headquarters, Ft. Meade, Md., by Lt. Col. William B. Freeland, past president of the Pennsylvania Department. Maj. Gen. George W. Smythe, Second Army deputy commander, was also present at the ceremony.

# Gen. Twining Presents Top AF Awards In Star-Studded Pentagon Ceremony

General Nathan F. Twining, USAF, Chief of Staff, flanked by high-ranking associates from the staff and field, including General Curtis E. LeMay, USAF, SAC, on 1 Dec., presented the 1953 Mackay Trophy to the 40th Air Division of the Strategic Air Command for the longest non-stop flight over water by single-engine jets.

With General Thomas D. White, USAF, Vice Chief of Staff, looking on, the award was accepted by Brig. Gen. Thayer S. Olds, USAF, 40th Air Division commander.

At the same time, General Twining presented the 1953 Cheney Award to Capt. Edward G. Sperry, USAF, of the Air Research and Development Command.

General Twining told General Old that the 40th had executed a "very remarkable operation" in flying 25 Republic F-84G fighter-bombers of the 508th and 31st Strategic Fighter Wings non-stop in August 1953 from Turner AFB, Ga., to bases in North Africa and England.

The Mackay Trophy, a large silver cup mounted on a mahogany base, has been awarded annually since 1912. It was donated by the late Clarence H. Mackay, founder of the Mackay Radio Corporation, as an annual military aviation award. In most instances, the trophy has been awarded for speed, endurance, altitude, or distance flights. Last year's award, which also went to members of one of SAC's Second Air Force units, was made for a non-stop flight across the Pacific.

The Cheney award was presented to Captain Sperry in recognition of his gal-

lanty and self-sacrifice in a humanitarian interest in connection with the testing of a downward ejection seat from a Boeing B-47 aircraft.

As a result of Captain Sperry's jump, the cause of major injuries inflicted earlier on a companion jumper under similar conditions was disclosed and corrected. Captain Sperry was also severely injured in thus securing information vital to the safety of Air Force personnel.

"The Air Force owes you a great debt of gratitude," General Twining said to Captain Sperry.

The Cheney Award, which includes a certificate, an inscribed bronze plaque, and a check for \$500, is an annual award originated in 1927 in memory of Lt. William H. Cheney, an early pilot who was killed in an air collision.

Mrs. Ruth Cheney Streeter, a sister of Lieutenant Cheney and one of the donors of the award, was among those attending the ceremony.

## Rear Adm. Appointed To Head I & E Program

A rear admiral of the Navy has been ordered to Washington as Director of the Information and Education Program of the Department of Defense.

Although the officer's name was not made public, he was described as being especially qualified for the post. He is now on sea duty and as soon as he can be taken from his present post, probably in a couple of months, he will come to Washington.

## Obituaries

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polo player, was the son of Mrs. T. Q. Donaldson of New York City, and the late Major General Donaldson, USA, former Inspector General of the Army.

Following service with the Army of Occupation in Germany, after WWI, Colonel Donaldson served with Cavalry regiments at Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga., Ft. Riley, Kans., and Ft. Bliss, Tex. He was graduated from the Command and General Staff College, and under the late Generals Jonathan Wainwright and George S. Patton, jr., served as Post Adjutant at Ft. Myer, Va. During WWII, Colonel Donaldson assisted in activating units of the 12th Armored Division at Ft. Campbell, Ky., and the 14th Armored Cavalry Group at Ft. Lewis, Wash. In 1944-45, as Chief of the Army Ground Forces Board, he observed armored tactics in Italy. At the time of his retirement, he was PMS&T at the University of Arizona.

In addition to his mother, he is survived by his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Rumbough Donaldson; two sons, Maj. T. Q. Donaldson, 4th, of Ft. Hood, Tex., and Maj. John W. Donaldson of Arlington, Va.; one daughter, Mrs. David S. Mallett of Ft. Benning, Ga.; and eight grandchildren.

Burial was at Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, D. C.

### Col. Charles Albert Clark, USA-Ret.

Col. Charles Albert Clark, USA-Ret., died at the Bay Pines Veterans Hospital, St. Petersburg, Fla., on 25 Nov. He was 78 years old.

Colonel Clark, who retired from active duty in 1940, after 42 years service, went to St. Petersburg to live, from Columbus, Ohio, where he was Quartermaster of the Fifth Corps Area.

Born in Vandalia, Ill., he was graduated from the University of Illinois School of Engineering. He served in the Spanish-American War with the Fourth Illinois National Guard Infantry, and entered the Regular Army, as a 2d Lieutenant of Artillery, in 1901, later transferring to the Coast Artillery School and the Command and General Staff College, and during WWI, he served with the Rainbow Division. Subsequently, he served in the Philippines, China and Hawaii.

Colonel Clark is survived by his widow, Mrs. Sara Hall Clark of 1015 Jungle Ave., St. Petersburg; two daughters, the Misses Sally M. Clark and Ethel Clark; and one son, Col. C. A. Clark, jr., USAF, now in Europe.

Burial was at Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, D. C.

### M/Sgt. Conrad L. O'Briant, USAF

M/Sgt. Conrad L. O'Briant, USAF, died at Duke University Hospital, Durham, N. C., on 8 Nov. He was 59 years old.

Sergeant O'Briant, who was born in North

Carolina, had served 30 years with the Air Force at the time of his retirement. A pilot in WWI, as a commissioned officer, he served two enlistments in the Philippines and four years in Cuba, in addition to duty at many stateside posts and stations.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Stella Z. S. O'Briant of Burlington, N. C.; and one son, John Conrad O'Briant, a student at Duke University.

Burial was at Burlington.

### Maj. Gen. Walter M. Robertson, USA-Ret.

Graveside services for Maj. Gen. Walter M. Robertson, USA-Ret., were conducted at Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, D. C., on 1 Dec., by the former Chief of Chaplains, Maj. Gen. Luther D. Miller, USA-Ret. General Robertson died at Letterman Army Hospital, Presidio of San Francisco, on 22 Nov. He was 66 years old.

Honorary pallbearers included the following retired officers, all classmates of General Robertson's in the 1912 class at the U. S. Military Academy: Gen. Wade H. Haislip, Major Generals Harry S. Maloney, Roscoe C. Crawford, Stephen J. Chamberlin, Robert M. Littlejohn, Sidney P. Spalding, Thomas J. Hayes, Colonels James S. Mooney, Byron O. Jones, Pearl L. Thomas, William Nalle and Robert S. Snow.

Born in Nelson County, Va., General Robertson was commissioned a 2d Lieutenant of Infantry upon his graduation from the Military Academy, and served in Hawaii and on the Mexican Border, prior to WWI. In 1919-20, he was assigned as Camp Inspector at Brest, France. Between the wars, General Robertson served at various U. S. installations and in the Philippines; he attended the Infantry School, the Command & General Staff College and the Army War College; and in 1936, became a member of the War Department General Staff.

During WWII, General Robertson commanded the 2d Infantry Division, which landed on Omaha Beach in the Normandy Invasion, participated in the St. Lo breakthrough and the subsequent capture of Brest, the Battle of the Bulge, and spearheaded the drive of the V Corps through Germany, capturing Pilsen prior to the German surrender. Following WWII, he commanded the XV Corps in Europe and was later assigned to the Allied Control Commission for Bulgaria. His last tour of duty, before retiring, was as Deputy Commander of the Sixth Army, Presidio of San Francisco.

Since his retirement from active duty, General Robertson was named Director of Civil Defense for the State of California, a position he held until his death.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lorene Robertson of 1960 10th Ave., Sacramento, Calif.; and his stepmother, Mrs. Nettie Robertson of Oklahoma City.

## Marine Corps Orders

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Hornstein, Joseph, MCS, Quantico; to Inactive duty.  
Durham, Frederick, 5th 90mm Gun Battery, San Jose, Calif; to Inactive duty.  
Young, Donald P, Overseas; to Ft Riley, Kansas.  
Crownover, Joe B, NAD, Crane, Ind; to HQMC, Wash, DC.  
Gillette, Robert J, 3dMAW, MCAS, Miami; to Inactive duty.  
Cashman, James G, MCS, Quantico; to NROTC Unit, Columbia Univ, NY.  
Philbin, William, Overseas; to MarPac, San Fran.  
Dixon, Roy N, ForTrps FMFPac, CamPen; to NAS, Willow Grove, Pa.  
Smit, Kenneth D, Overseas; to 2dMarDiv, CamLej.  
Cieland, Grover, jr, USS LATIMER; to Mar Pac, San Fran.  
Sharp, James, II, MCAB, CherPt; to NAS, Atlantic City.

### 1st Lieutenant

Bancroft, John V, Overseas; to MCS, Quantico.  
Snyder, William E, Overseas; to MCS, Quantico.  
Wright, James R, NAS, Pensacola; to 2d MAW, MCAS, Cherry Point.  
Dorsett, Thomas M, NAAS, Kingsville, Tex; to 2dMAW, MCAS, Cherry Point.  
Jackson, Edwin F, NAAS, Kingsville, Tex; to 2dMAW, MCAS, Cherry Point.  
Rogers, Franklin B, NAAS, Kingsville, Tex; to 2dMAW, MCAS, Cherry Point.  
Johnston, David M, USS SANBORN; to Inactive duty.  
Rochford, Thomas F, NAAS, Kingsville, Tex; to MCAS, El Toro.  
Dolsen, Norman M, NAAS, Cabaniss Field, Corpus Christi; to 3dMAW, MCAS, Miami.  
Huerta, Genare, Overseas; to Ft Devens, Mass.  
Jarnot, Fidelas M, 2dMarDiv, CamLej; to USS OKANOGAN.  
Riedy, Richard V, 2dMarDiv, CamLej; to Inactive duty.  
Harrison, Frank M, USS THUBAN; to MCB, CamLej.  
Rodriguez, John A, USS OGLETHORPE; to ForTrps, CamLej.  
Atchison, Jere L, Overseas; to MarPac, San Fran.  
Sheehan, William F, 2dMAW, MCAS, Cher Pt; to NAS, St Louis.  
Johnson, Peter G, MCAS, CherPt; to Overseas.  
Ferguson, Alfred A, NavB, Brem, Wash; to 2dMarDiv, CamLej, NC.  
Murphy, Donald L, ForTrps, CamLej; to Overseas.

### 2d Lieutenant

Dennis, Utah G L, NAAS, Kingsville, Tex; to MCAS, El Toro.  
Cusack, George G, NAAS, Kingsville, Tex; to 3dMAW, MCAS, Miami.  
House, William E, 2dMarDiv, CamLej; to USS WISCONSIN.  
Johnson, Wilbur E, Overseas; to Inactive duty.  
Berdanier, Francis N, NROTC Unit, Ohio State Univ; to MCS, Quantico.  
Hammett, Dillard S, 2dMAW, MCAS, Cherry Point; to MCB, CamPen.  
Bruce, Lowell L, MCB, CamPen; to NAS, Glenview, Ill.  
Martin, Theodore L, jr, MarPac, San Fran; to Inactive duty.  
Gambill, Malcolm W, FMFPacTrps, Cam Pen; to MarPac, San Fran.  
Syers, James D, FMFPacTrps, CamPen; to MarPac, San Fran.  
Tieman, Robert E, FMFPacTrps, CamPen; to MarPac, San Fran.  
Welthman, James C, FMFPacTrps, CamPen; to MarPac, San Fran.  
Young, Harold G, FMFPacTrps, CamPen; to MarPac, San Fran.  
Watson, Howell E, jr, 2dMarDiv, CamLej; to USS MONROVIA.

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Huff, Robert R, USS ARNEB; to 2dMarDiv, CamLej.  
Scott, Lawrence J, Overseas; to Inactive status Retired list.  
McCulley, Harley P, MCB, CamLej; to MCSC, Albany, Ga.  
Beard, Herbert W, NavB, Norfolk; to MCAS, El Toro.  
Peters, Elmer G, Overseas; to MCB, Cam Pen.  
Ruskewitch, Alexander P, MCAS, Cherry Point; to Overseas.

## USMC Sets PFC And Cpl. Exams For Early '55

Marine Corps promotion examinations for advancement to corporal and sergeant have been set for January and February 1955.

The tests will be administered only to PFC's and Corporals who are recommended by their commanding officers, and who will have 11 months of service in their present grade by 1 April 1955.